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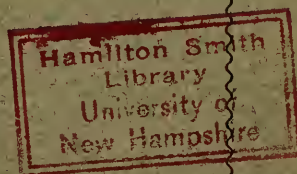
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TOWN OFFICERS

MODERATOR

JOHN F. MARSTON

TOWN CLERK

HORACE M. LANE

SENATOR FOR TWENTY-THIRD DISTRICT

HON. HERBERT PERKINS

REPRESENTATIVE TO GENERAL COURT

WALTER J. PALMER

JUDGE OF MUNICIPAL COURT

ABBOTT L. JOPLIN

CHARLES FRANCIS ADAMS, ASSOCIATE JUSTICE

SELECTMEN

JOSEPH B. BROWN

ELROY G. SHAW

BYRON G. REDMAN

TOWN TREASURER

HERBERT PERKINS

COLLECTOR OF TAXES

JOHN W. MASON

AUDITORS

CHARLES FRANCIS ADAMS

ALBERT K. CHURCH

SIMEON A. SHAW

SCHOOL BOARD

CHARLES M. BATCHELDER

JOHN A. ROSS

MRS. EDITH WARREN

LIBRARY COMMITTEE

SIMEON A. SHAW

JOHN A. ROSS

CHARLES M. BATCHELDER

SUPERVISORS OF CHECKLIST

WILLIAM T. ROSS

FRANK S. MASON

WILLIAM M. BLAKE

BOARD OF HEALTH

JOSEPH B. BROWN ELROY G. SHAW BYRON E. REDMAN

WILLIAM T. ROSS

FIREWARD

LEMUEL C. RING

Town Clerk's Records

REPORT OF THE ANNUAL TOWN MEETING HELD MARCH 9TH, 1915.

In accordance with a notice, duly signed and legally posted the legal voters of the town of Hampton assembled at the place therein mentioned and were called to order by the moderator of the town at twenty-four minutes past ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day; the presiding officer read the warrant, after which prayer was offered by Rev. J. A. Ross.

Chose—Horace M. Lane town clerk for the ensuing year, who was sworn.

After a motion to elect all three of the selectmen on one ballot had been defeated it was:

Voted—That the selectmen be chosen one at a time.

Owing to a pardonable misunderstanding the first ballot for selectmen was declared void by the moderator; the result of the following ballots was that Joseph B. Brown, Elroy G. Shaw and Byron E. Redman were elected as a Board of Selectmen and were sworn by the clerk.

Chose—Herbert Perkins Treasurer for the ensuing year.

Voted—That the clerk cast one ballot for John W. Mason as Collector of Taxes and John W. Mason was declared elected to the office of Collector of Taxes for ensuing year.

Chose—Charles F. Adams, Albert K. Church and Simeon A. Shaw as Auditors.

A motion was made that we proceed to ballot for three Police, the first elected to be Chief; an amendment was offered to the effect that all of the remaining officers be appointed by the selectmen; the amendment was defeated by a vote of 53 to 78; the original motion also failed to pass when it was

Voted—That the appointment of the Police be left with the selectmen, with the understanding that none but residents be appointed.

A motion to reduce the number of highway districts from twelve to one failed of passage, when it was

Voted—That all remaining officers be appointed by the selectmen.

Voted—That we raise for highway purposes the sum that the law requires.

Voted—That the sum the law requires be set aside out of the appropriation for highway purposes for permanent improvements.

Voted—That the sum of three hundred dollars be raised and appropriated for cemeteries.

Voted—That seventy-five dollars be raised for Memorial Day.

Voted—That the sum of five hundred dollars be raised and appropriated toward the extermination of the Brown Tail and Gypsy Moths and that one hundred dollars of the same be used as a bounty on the nests moths.

And that Fred E. Perkins be chosen to oversee the work.

It was voted that the following sums of money be raised and appropriated.

For Breakwater, two thousand dollars.

Concrete Walk, to be built from the south end of the present walk to the Public Library five hundred dollars.

Electric Lights, twenty-eight hundred dollars.

Police, five hundred dollars.

Board of Health, three hundred and fifty dollars.

Salaries, one thousand dollars.

Library, five hundred and fifty dollars.

Salaries of Fireman, four hundred dollars.

Oil and Tarvia, two thousand dollars.

Voted—That the selectmen be instructed to procure plans and estimates for both concrete and iron bridge across the river at the Turnpike and report at an adjourned meeting.

Voted—That the selectmen be given power to hire money for town purposes in anticipation of taxes and to renew or refund the town notes.

Voted—That the leases of lots made by the selectmen at the Pines and White Island be ratified, and that they survey out two more blocks and lease the lots.

Voted—To pass over Article 8th.

Article 9th in relation to protection against fire was taken up and the meeting was addressed by Mr. Scammon of Exeter and others and the proposition was made that the town lease fifty hydrants at forty dollars each; a motion making the length of the lease five years, as also a motion to make the term of the lease five years at thirty-five dollars each for hydrants were defeated when it was

Voted—That the selectmen be authorized and instructed to make a contract with the Hampton Water Works Co., for hydrant service for a term not exceeding ten years; providing the amount paid for such service shall not exceed forty dollars a year for each hydrant and that such contract shall not be for not more than fifty hydrants; provided also for such additional hydrants as may be found necessary during the life of said contract, a sum not to exceed twenty dollars a year be paid for each hydrant so added, and that the sum of two thousand dollars be raised and appro-

priated for the same.

Voted—That the selectmen be instructed to install electric streets lights on the following highways; From Mace's Corner to Guinea school house, on Nook Lane Road and the Landing Road if it can be done at a figure so that the entire cost of lighting the streets shall not exceed the appropriation, viz., \$2,800.

Voted—That Article 11th be indefinitely postponed.

The following preamble and resolution was received, read and adopted.

Whereas, Agreeably to Chapter 84, Sec. 1, of the session laws of the State of New Hampshire, A. D., 1907, a town may at any annual or special meeting by major vote, regulate the digging of clams within its limits.

Therefore, Resolved, That if any person not a bona fide resident of the town of Hampton and actually domiciled within said town during the entire year, shall dig, take or carry away from the flats, creeks, rivers or their tributaries within the limits of said town of Hampton more than one-half bushel of clams on any one calendar day.

Nothing in these rules and regulations shall prevent persons not resident in said town of said town buying and carrying away clams in any quantity when bought from said residents of said town of Hampton. Any person violating the conditions or provisions of these rules or regulations shall for each offence be fined not more than ten dollars or imprisoned more than thirty days.

All rules, regulations and by-laws passed previous to these rules and regulations are hereby repealed and rescinded and these rules and regulations shall take effect on their adoption.

Voted—That where concrete sidewalks are built the abutters keep said sidewalks clear of ice and snow.

Voted—That the sum of three hundred dollars be set

aside for the purpose of stopping the sale of intoxicating liquor on the town land.

Voted—That the sum of one thousand dollars be set aside out of the contingent fund for the purpose of buying hose and other necessities for the fire department.

Voted—To establish a Police Court in accordance with the new law passed by the present Legislature.

Voted—That when we adjourn it be to March 30th next at seven o'clock in the afternoon.

Voted—That the selectmen be instructed to build a sewer from a point near Leavitt's Corner to a point near the Ashworth.

Voted—To adjourn.

A true record,

HORACE M. LANE,

Town Clerk.

A true copy of record,

Attest: HORACE M. LANE,

Town Clerk.

REPORT OF THE ADJOURNED TOWN MEETING HELD MARCH 30TH, 1915.

In conformity to a vote passed at the annual town meeting held on the 9th inst. the legal voters of the town of Hampton assembled at the Town House in said town on Tuesday, the thirtieth day of March, 1915, and were called to order by the moderator of the town at twenty minutes past seven o'clock in the afternoon.

The matter of strengthening or rebuilding the bridge at the Turnpike was taken up and the report of the

selectmen as to the cost of a new bridge and of repairing the present one was called for. J. B. Brown, Chairman of the Selectmen reported that a new concrete bridge would cost about four thousand dollars, while it was estimated that the cost of repairing the present bridge would not exceed eight hundred and seventy-five dollars.

Some discussions ensued, when it was

Voted—That the bridge at the Turnpike be repaired and that the sum of five hundred dollars be raised and appropriated therefor.

Voted—That the matter of repairing the Turnpike bridge be left with the selectmen with power to appoint an agent to oversee the work if they think it best.

Voted—That the meeting adjourn without date.

A true record,

HORACE M. LANE,

Town Clerk.

A true copy of record,

Attest: HORACE M. LANE,

Town Clerk.

Warrant for Annual Town Meeting

State of New Hampshire

TO THE INHABITANTS OF THE TOWN OF HAMPTON IN THE COUNTY OF ROCKINGHAM IN SAID STATE QUALIFIED TO VOTE IN TOWN AFFAIRS;

You are hereby notified to meet at the town hall in said Hampton on Tuesday, the fourteenth day of March next at ten o'clock in the forenoon to act upon the following subjects:

Article 1. To choose a clerk for the ensuing year.

Article 2. To choose three selectmen for the ensuing year.

Article 3. To choose treasurer, collector of taxes, auditors and all other necessary officers for the ensuing year.

Article 4. To choose by ballot trustees of trust funds one for one year, one for two years, and one for three years.

Article 5. To elect one or more not exceeding three highway agents for the ensuing year.

Article 6. To raise or appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary for Highways, Cemetery, Memorial Day, Brown Tail and Gypsy Moths, Tarvia and Oil Breakwater, Concrete Walks, Electric Lights, Police, Board of Health, Salaries of Town Officers, Library, Fire Department, Hydrant Service, and all other necessary charges arising within the town.

Article 7. To see if the town will vote to give the selectmen power to raise money in anticipation of taxes and to renew or refund the town notes.

Article 8. To see if the town will vote to stop the dumping of rubbish along our public highways and provide a public dumping place.

Article 9. To see if the town will vote to buy more fire apparatus and appropriate money therefor.

Article 10. To see if the town will vote to extend the Electric Lights from Guinea Schoolhouse to Coffin Corner.

Article 11. To see if the town will appropriate a sum not to exceed one thousand dollars to grade the Island Path road.

Article 12. To see if the town will take action to widen the main road near the depot and make the square more safe.

Article 13. To see if the town will vote to apply for State aid for highways.

Article 14. To hear report of agents on committee heretofore chosen.

Article 15. To pass any vote or votes that may be legal before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-sixth day of February, 1916.

JOSEPH B. BROWN	}	Selectmen
ELROY G. SHAW		of
BYRON E. REDMAN		Hampton

APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1916

AN ESTIMATE OF THE NEEDS OF THE SEVERAL DEPARTMENTS FOR THE ENSUING YEAR.

State tax	\$3,405 00
County tax	3,997 87
Cemetery	300 00
Memorial Day	75 00
Electric lights	3,000 00
Board of Health	400 00
Salaries	1,500 00
Library	550 00
Fire Department	400 00
Oil and tarvia town	2,000 00
Oil and tarvia State road	1,000 00
Breakwater	2,000 00
Concrete walk	500 00
Police	700 00
Hydrant sewer	2,000 00
Schools by law	3,405 00
School supplies	200 00
School repairs	200 00
School transportation	600 00
School superintendent	250 00
High school	1,500 00
High school supplies	300 00
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Total	\$28,282 87

Highway tax 25c on \$100, the above appropriation
will make the tax rate \$12.50 on \$1,000, same as last year.

Report of Selectmen, 1915

INVOICE, APRIL 1, 1915.

Resident Invoice	\$1,223,242	
Non Resident Invoice	972,300	
Total Invoice		\$2,195,542
Improved and unimproved land and buildings	\$2,053,967	
Horses, 220	21,640	
Oxen, 12	1,050	
Cows, 296	14,160	
Neat Stock, 14	430	
Fowls	765	
Carriages and automobiles	18,350	
Boats and launches	950	
Portable Milk	1,000	
Stock in Public Funds	15,300	
Stock in Bank	2538	
Money on hand	15,085	
Stock in trade	46,507	
Milk and machinery	3,800	
Total Invoice, 1915		\$2,195,542
Total Invoice, 1914		\$2,054,885
Increase		\$140,657

AMOUNT OF APPROPRIATIONS, 1915.

State tax	\$3,632 00	
County tax	3,997 87	
Schools, by law	3,405 00	
High School	1,500 00	
High school supplies	200 00	
School repairs	200 00	
School supplies	250 00	
School transportation	600 00	
Cemetery	300 00	
Memorial Day	75 00	
Brown Tail and Gypsy Moths	500 00	
Breakwater	2,000 00	
Concrete Walk	500 00	
Electric Lights	2,800 00	
Police	500 00	
Board of Health	350 00	
Library	550 00	
Salary of Firemen	400 00	
Tarvia and oil	2,000 00	
Hydrant services	2,000 00	
Turnpike bridge	500 00	
Salaries of town officers	1,000 00	
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Total		\$27,259 87
Resident, State, County and Town		
Taxes	\$14,717 54	
Non Resident, State, County and		
Town Taxes	12,153 75	
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Total State, County and Town Taxes		\$26,871.29
Resident Highway Tax	\$2,957.10	
Non Resident Highway Tax	2,430 70	
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Total Highway Tax	\$5,387 80
Hampton Beach Precinct Tax ...	1,339 67
Polls	768 00

Total Taxes committed to collector	\$34,366 76
Collector has paid Treasurer	29,668 88

Due from collector	4,697 88
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Rate per cent. State, County and Town Tax,
\$1.25 on \$100.

Rate per cent. Highway Tax, 25c on one hundred dollars.

Hampton Beach Precinct Tax, 13c one one hundred dollars.

LAND RENT DUE THE TOWN FEB. 15, 1916.

Pines.

Mary E. Quimby	\$15.00
Clara B. Dow, 2 lots	30.00
B. O. Condon, 2 lots	30.00
Florence Rowe	15.00
George H. Bartlett	20.00
Joseph R. La Flame, 2 lots	40.00
Amos Guyan, 3 lots	45.00
Joseph Langford, 2 lots	40.00
Howard Arnold, 2 years	30.00
Charles Fillow	15.00
W. L. Currier	20.00
A. P. Jewett	15.00
J. A. Frances	15.00
P. F. Grennier, 2 years	30.00
Charles A. Dow	15.00
F. M. Latuneux, 2 years	30.00
E. S. Dand	15.00
William L. Foster	15.00
Ardelle Richmond	15.00
C. H. Thomson	15.00
G. Francour, 2 years	30.00
W. Moran, 2 years	30.00
Florence Bond	15.00
E. A. Page, 3 lots	55.00
Harold Felch	15.00
C. E. Locke	15.00
C. Moody	15.00
C. H. Thomas	15.00

White Island.

G. W. Moran	16.00
John W. Dow	32.00
Lizzie M. Frisbee	32.00
Harry Chase	8.00
Merton Rowe	8.00
J. M. Russell	8.00
Gale & Jackson, 2 years	16.00
Flarence Rowe, 2 lots	16.00

TOWN OF HAMPTON, N. H.

BALANCE

ASSETS.

Cash :

In hands of town treasurer	\$2,236.44
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Accounts due the town :

Taxes not collected, levy of 1915	4,697.88
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Sewer assessment, levy of 1909	5,097.00
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Sewer entrance fees, levy of 1914	748.48
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Sewer entrance fees, levy of 1915	210.00
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Sidewalk assessment : 1915	102.50
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Due on property bought by the town tax sale of 1914..	658.96
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Due on land rent	799.00
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Total Assets	\$14,550.26
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Excess of liabilities over cash (net debt).....	38,768.54
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Grand Total	\$53,318.80
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SHEET

February 15, 1916.

LIABILITIES.

Bills owed by the town :

All paid that were in Feb. 15.

Unpaid balance set aside for special purpose :

Due to school	\$	
Dog tax		168.80
Notes outstanding		48,400.00
Trust Fund principal used by the town		4,750.00
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Total Liabilities		\$53,318.80

TOWN OF HAMPTON, N. H.

RECEIPTS

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Current Revenue.

From Local Taxes :

1. Property and poll taxes current year	\$29,668.88
2. Property and poll taxes previous year	3,891.75
3. Special assessments	1,149.25

From State :

4. Railroad tax	548.76
5. Savings Bank tax	889.88
6. Literary fund	182.00
7. Liquor licenses	103.55
8. For education	250.00
9. For highways, Trunk line maintenance	899.77
10. For fighting forest fires	7.75

From County :

11. For support of poor	81.68
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From Local Sources except Taxes :

12. Dog licenses	184.00
13. All other licenses and permits	680.00
14. Fines and forfeits	212.20
15. Rent of Town Hall and other buildings	129.00
16. Income of departments	38.25
17. Cemeteries	52.00
18. Interest on deposits	38.00

Receipts Other Than Current Revenue.

19. Temporary loans during year	29,712.50
20. Water issued	400.00

All Other Receipts.

21. Land rent	3,213.00
22. Eastman, Scammon & Gardner, judgment and cost	1,067.48
23. Eastern Clay & Coal Co., empty bags	320.00
24. From property bought by the town at tax rate and redeemed	1,101.47

Total Receipts from all Sources	\$74,821.18
Cash on hand at beginning of the year	625.96

Grand Total \$75,447.14

AND PAYMENTS

For year ending Feb. 15, 1916.

PAYMENTS.

Current Maintenance Expenses :

1. Salaries and expenses of principal town officers..	\$1,269.00
2. Election and registration expenses	
3. Municipal Court expenses	85.90
4. Care and expenses of Town Hall and library	424.87

Protection of Persons and Property :

5. Police department	955.51
6. Fire department	2,635.16
7. Moth extermination	527.92
8. Bounties	
9. Damage by dogs	15.20

Health and Sanitation :

10. Health department	349.50
11. Vital statistics	11.95
12. Sewer maintenance	177.56

Highways and Bridges :

13. Highways, maintenance—Town account	1,252.92
14. Highways, State aid maintenance	412.24
15. Trunk line maintenance, Tavia State	1,884.77
Tavia on town highway	2,985.10
16. Street lighting	2,751.56
17. General expenses	565.51

Education :

18. Libraries	585.00
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Charities :

19. Town poor	165.23
20. County poor	30.20
21. Incidental expenses	

Patriotic Purposes :

22. Memorial Day	75.00
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Recreation :

23. Parks	35.00
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Public Service Enterprises Owned by the Town :

23. Cemeteries	308.25
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Interest :

24. Paid on temporary loans	575.00
25. Paid on temporary notes	1,010.00
26. Paid on principal of trust funds used by the town	190.00

Outlay for New Construction and Permanent Improvement :

27. Turnpike bridge	833.15
28. Highway construction, permanent	4,957.16
29. Sewer construction	5,108.10
30. Sidewalk construction	1,102.75
31. East End draw.....	194.80
32. Breakwater	2,483.13

Indebtedness :

33. Payments on principal of debt	15,145.84
34. Payment to other governmental divisions	15,667.60
35. All other payments	2,243.62
36. Hampton Beach Improvement Co. law suit	3,870.05

Total Payments for all Purposes	\$70,884.55
Cash on hand at end of year	2,236.44
Outstanding order Feb. 15, 1915	2,338.50

Grand Total \$75,459.49

Schedule of Town Property

1. Town Hall land and buildings	\$10,000.00
Town Hall furniture and equipment	500.00
2. Libraries, land and buildings	10,000.00
Libraries, furniture and equipment	500.00
3. Department property	
Police department equipment	25.00
Fire department apparatus	1,000.00
Highway department equipment	
Oil wagon, \$400; water cart, \$50.....	450.00
Concrete mixer	300.00
Road machine	50.00
Road dray	25.00
Oil pump	25.00
Tools	50.00
Bridge plank	125.00
Gravel pit near A. K. Blake's	300.00
Gravel pit of A. K. Blake's	100.00
Gravel pit of Ira E. Lane	300.00
Gravel pit of Isabell Leavitt	300.00
Gravel pit of Beach	500.00
Gravel pit of James Lane's	50.00
Gravel pit of Mace's	50.00
Gravel pit of Hearn	500.00

All Other Property and Equipment :

Sewer department	
Two pumps and hose	100.00
Tools	25.00

Town land that is Surveyed and Leased :

Value of Pines lots, 305	60,000.00
Value of 325 lots leased to Hampton Beach Imp. Co... ..	10,000.00
Value of 176 lots at Plantation	50,000.00
Value of 50 lots at Place Cove	10,000.00
Value of 30 lots at North Shore	12,000.00

Total Valuation\$167,475.00

Outstanding Debts, Feb. 15, 1916

Date.	Payable to	Rate	Amount
July 1, 1908,	Cong. Society,	4%	\$3,000.00
Dec. 30, 1909,	Cong. Society,	5%	1,000.00
Jan. 28, 1909,	Cong. Society,	5%	500.00
April 1, 1909,	Cong. Society,	5%	1,000.00
July 1, 1913,	Clara Poor Philbrick,	4½%	1,000.00
March 20, 1913,	Clara Poor Philbrick,	5%	2,000.00
Dec. 10, 1910,	Ira E. Lane,	4%	250.00
Dec. 10, 1910,	Sarah E. Lane,	4%	250.00
July 29, 1909,	Lewis P. Nudd,	5%	500.00
Jan. 1, 1914,	Joseph F. Williams,	4%	2,000.00
Feb. 1, 1916,	Elizabeth Pray,	4½%	400.00
June 16, 1908,	Piscataqua Savings Bank,	5%	5,000.00
Oct. 1, 1908,	Piscataqua Savings Bank,	5%	3,000.00
Nov. 28, 1908,	Piscataqua Savings Bank,	5%	3,500.00
March 16, 1915,	Piscataqua Savings Bank,	5%	20,000.00
June 14, 1915,	Piscataqua Savings Bank,	4½%	5,000.00
Total			\$48,400.00

Trust Fund Principal Used by the Town.

May 2, 1887,	Towle fund for support of poor,	4%	2,000.00
May 1, 1898,	Robinson fund for support of poor,	4%	1,000.00
July 1, 1903,	Sarah J. Shaw fund for support of poor,	4%	500.00
Jan. 1, 1891,	S. W. Dow fund, cemetery lot,	4%	100.00
Feb. 17, 1898,	Thomas Grant fund, cemetery lot,	4%	200.00
Oct. 9, 1901,	Jonah Webster fund, cemetery lot,	4%	50.00
March 10, 1906,	John H. Fogg fund, cemetery lot,	4%	100.00
Jan. 1, 1908,	Mary A. Palmer fund, cemetery lot,	4%	100.00
Jan. 1, 1911,	Ellen Morey fund, cemetery lot,	4%	100.00
July 1, 1910,	Hampton Cemetery Association,	4%	200.00
July 1, 1911,	1911, F. A. Lamprey,	4%	100.00
April 1, 1913,	David A. Philbrick,	4%	100.00
April 1, 1914,	Mary A. Getchell	4%	200.00
Total Trust Fund			\$4,750.00

Detailed Statement of Receipts

FROM LOCAL TAXES

J. W. Mason, Collector 1914 taxes	\$3,891 75
J. W. Mason, Collector 1915 taxes	29,068 88
J. W. Mason, Collector 1915 polls	600 00
J. W. Mason, 1909 Sewer assessment	659 25
Selectmen sewer entrance fees ...	340 00
Sidewalk Assessment:	
Thomas Swallow	20 00
G. W. Dobbim	22 50
Dr. Golden	20 00
J. W. Cauly	20 00
Helene Roberts	25 00
Forrest Leavitt	20 00
Estelle French	22 50

\$34,709 88

FROM STATE

Railroad tax	548 76
Savings bank tax	889 88
Literary fund	182 00

For education	250 00	
Liquor licenses	103 55	
Highways, Trunk line maintenance	899 77	
For fighting forest fires	7 75	
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		\$2,881 71

FROM COUNTY

For support of Alex Thomson family	81 68
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FROM LOCAL SOURCES, EXCEPT TAXES.

From Town Clerk, Dog Licenses	184.00
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ALL OTHER LICENSES AND PERMITS.

Goldstein Bros., theatre license	100.00	
Graves & Ramsdell, theatre license	140.00	
Robert Ring, pop corn license...	300.00	
St. Rlwy. Co. license	100.00	
Pedlers licenses	40.00	
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		\$680.00

FINES AND FORFEITS.

From A. L. Joplin, Judge	
Ben Worten	5.00

Daniel Quig	1.00
Ernest Fogg	1.00
Oren Lamphrey	2.20
Frank E. Warren	5.00
Martin Scanlon	5.00
John Reno	75.00
Charles Doig	5.00
James Fuller	5.00
James Coffen	5.00
A. Higgins	1.00
Henry Default	5.00
Henry Eno	5.00
George Smith	5.00
Charles Wite	5.00
Andrew McCluskey	2.00
C. J. Hidland	20.00
B. K. Richmond	20.00
W. J. O'Hearn	20.00
Ben Wortis	5.00
Frank Conner	5.00
Harold Wanris	5.00
John Berry	5.00

\$212.20

Rent of Town Hall \$129.00

INCOME OF DEPARTMENT.

From J. L. Smith, cement pipe \$6.00

W. Gilpatrick cement	10.40
E. G. Shaw, cement50
R. H. Elhim, cement	6.00
Charles Blake, gravel35
Eugene Leavitt, gravel	14.00
Ralph James, stone50
Henry Raymond, stone50

\$38.25

CEMETERY.

S. McCutcheon, lot	\$7.00
Walter Coffen, lot	15.00
George Brown, lot	15.00
John Tarlton	15.00
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Total	\$52.00
Interest on taxes and deposit	\$38.00

RECEIVED ON PROPERTY BOUGHT BY THE TOWN AT TAX SALES AND REDEEMED 1915

Taxes, cost and interest

Moses Mann, 1914	\$32.00
A. G. Reharut, 1914	39.00
C. L. Higgins, 1914	21.26
Anna Rice, 1914	20.75
John Daly, 1914	40.50

Heirs of George F. Elliot, 1914..	13.66
Jas. H. Perkins, 1914	4.54
George A. Merrill, 1914	8.16
Perley Robinson, 1914	17.20
Clisia Brown, 1912	13.67
Clisia Brown, 1913	11.50
W. S. Pillsbury, 1914	16.30
Jenney Burlington, 1914	9.60
E. C. Hutchinson, 1914	14.16
Mrs. Fred Blodgett, 1914	4.94
G. R. Purdy, 1914	9.12
Chas. P. Snyder, 1911	11.36
A. P. Knowlton, 1914	17.20
J. W. Reny, 1913-14	46.54
Samuel Seward, 1914	7.33
A. H. Hoche, 1912	6.88
Charles Moody, 1912-13-14.....	21.00
Dudley & White, 1910-11-12-13-14	527.64
Patrick Dempsey, 1912	10.65
Moses Mann, 1912	39.20
A. M. Wiltr, 1913	9.80
Guy Sturgis, 1912	29.80
Warren Bishop, 1914	27.84
Heirs of Erick Brown, 1910-11-12	46.50
William Osgood, 1913	10.50
Louis Townsend, 1913	12.87
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Total	\$1,101.47

TEMPORARY LOANS DURING YEAR.

Mar. 13	Piscataqua Savings Bank	\$19,825.00
May 10,	Savings Bank	4,943.75
June 4, 1916	Savings Bank	4,943.75
Total		\$29,712.50

NOTES ISSUED DURING YEAR.

Feb. 1, 1916,	Elizabeth Pray	\$400.00
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ALL OTHER RECEIPTS.

Land rent

Hampton Beach Imp. Co.	500.00
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North Shore lots

J. Q. Bennett, 1914	5.00
J. Q. Bennett, 1914	20.00
Belle S. Brown	20.00
J. E. Burroughs	20.00
Edward Langley	20.00
Donald Chase	20.00
L. F. & F. E. Smith	40.00
Edward Ellard	20.00
Marica Newcomb	20.00
Buckley Sign Co.	4.00

 \$189.00

Place Cove lots

L. & F. E. Smith	20.00
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Dorothy Smart	10.00
Edward Deal	12.00
Charlotte Perkins	20.00
Jennie Tillen	20.00
Flora Joplin	10.00
Mrs. Church	10.00
Edward Brown	20.00

\$120.00

Plantation lots

John F. Howard, 4 lots	80.00
John F. Dearborn	20.00
Belle S. Dearborn	20.00
Henry Boynton	20.00
Nora Desmond	20.00
E. P. Durrocher	15.00

\$175.00

Pines lots

A. E. Sargent, 2 years	50.00
E. S. David	15.00
C. H. Thimer	15.00
Charles Fullem	15.00
A. P. Jewett	15.00
E. A. Gardner	15.00
George R. Purdy	15.00
B. G. Robinson, 2 yrs., 2 lots...	60.00
J. Hutchenson	15.00
Frank Millo	15.00
William E. Jerrold	15.00
H. G. Pevear	15.00
Alla C. Rowe, 2 lots	30.00
Robert Butler	15.00
Dr. Brunette	20.00
Alberti Oaks	15.00

Joseph A. Dow	15.00
Alfred S. Gunchon	15.00
A. B. Pullsbury	25.00
James Kutlughr	15.00
C. W. Miader	20.00
Charles Moody	15.00
J. C. Burroughs	25.00
Walter Stevens	20.00
C. B. Lalis	15.00
A. B. Pullsbury	15.00
Manuel Millo	15.00
Alvin Clough	15.00
Alice Holthorn, 2 lots	30.00
P. F. Grenur, 1913	15.00
E. Kingsley	15.00
Lizzie B. Chisholm	15.00
C. O. Lalor, 2 lots	50.00
Harold Filch	15.00
Clarence E. Locher	15.00
Minnie Pullsbury	15.00
Elias Dow, 2 lots	30.00
E. G. Powell	15.00
G. C. Taylor	15.00
Fred Grundy	10.00
H. L. Paradis, 2 lots	30.00
C. A. Paradis	15.00
C. W. Paradis	15.00
J. A. Clam	15.00
H. J. Knowlton	15.00
Helen S. Bell, 2 years	30.00
W. S. Pillsbury	25.00
Ralph Sillman	15.00
William Shakespeare	15.00
Charles F. Demerces	15.00
George A. Merrill, 3 lots	45.00
Arthur Rowe, 2 years	30.00
Etta Wennon	15.00

F. H. Lusset, 2 lots	40.00
E. P. Jacobs, 3 lots	45.00
E. Libby	15.00
John Wallin	25.00
Lizzie Harrison	15.00
C. Herbert	15.00
G. L. Fowler	15.00
J. P. Blair	15.00
Effie Stickney, 2 lots	30.00
Benjamin E. Stickney	15.00
Jorah Filch	15.00
Cumming Bros.	20.00
Josephine Whitham	15.00
Herbert F. Brown	15.00
J. Stay	10.00
Henry St. Francis, 2 lots	30.00
Florence Bond	15.00
G. G. Pike	15.00
Lee Fernald	25.00
Simon Breakwater	15.00
Alvira Rowe	15.00
C. S. Burrell	15.00
Lizzie Blondin, 2 years	30.00
E. E. Balch	15.00
E. O. Pojr, 2 lots	40.00
Aimee Roussia	15.00
Lucy E. Johnson	15.00
Florence Rowe, 5 lots	75.00
Edward S. Getchel	15.00
Herbert Hall	15.00
Fred Eno	15.00
C. L. Lynch	30.00
Thmas Elhan	15.00
Charles D. Howard	30.00
L. H. Bryant	20.00
J. H. Brown	10.00
L. C. Ring, 9 lots	200.00

Ally Hayen	15.00
White Island	
Cummings Bros., 2 lots	18.00
C. Lemeux	10.00
Ruth Dillworth	8.00
Sanden & Stevens	8.00
M. Gagni	10.00
S. W. Muri	8.00
John S. Rowe	4.00
C. L. Lynde	8.00
A. Gagne	10.00
Baker Bros.	8.00
G. A. Merrill, 2 lots	16.00
Leroy Cummings	8.00
P. J. Smith	8.00
J. S. Fowler, 4 years	20.00

\$144.00

Eastern Clay Goods Co., empty bags	\$320.00
Eastman, Scammon & Gardner, judgment and costs	
Hencombe Can	\$167.18
From C. H. Dodge, sewer	167.56
E. G. Chase, sewer	35.34
G. W. Bryant	2.52
G. Ashworth	49.06
A. Rowe	29.74
K. McLaughlin	39.09
G. Manson	45.89
E. Jannin	161.52
D. Murray	46.85
M. Dow	62.88
I. Webster	32.53
S. Sussaman	29.83
E. Smith	31.06
C. Swett	59.11

G. Bryant	53.28
K. McLaughlin	1.00
A. M. Colburn, 1913 tax	53.03
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	\$1,067.49

DETAIL STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS, 1915

GENERAL GOVERNMENT.

Detail 1—Salaries and expenses of Principal Town Officers

Selectman, Jos. B. Brown, salary	\$65.00
Collecting rent	100.00
Assessor	100.00
Selectman Elroy G. Shaw, salary	50.00
Assessor	100.00
Selectman Byron E. Redman, salary	50.00
Assessor	100.00
Clerk Horace M. Lane	30.00
Treasurer Herbert Perkins....	50.00
Carfare	10.80
Collector John W. Mason	300.00
School board, John A. Ross....	25.00
Edith Warren	25.00
Moderator John F. Marston ...	5.00
Auditors, S. Albert Shaw	6.00
Albert K. Church	6.00
Town clerk L. W. Cech	20.00
Town Bell E. P. Brown	12.00
Expenses—	
Books and Stationery, Jos. H. Batchelder	34.50
Portage, E. Gelch	21.68
Book, E. C. Eastman	7.78
Town Report, Hampton Union	110.00
Directory, Chesley F. Lunt ..	7.00
Printing, H. J. Thurber	1.50

Records, J. W. A. Green	5.00
Copying Invoice, 1914	15.00
J. B. Brown, 3 trips to Concord, 1914	15.00
W. & L. E. Gurley	2.74

\$1,269.00

Detail 2—Municipal Court expenses

A. L. Joplin, Judge, six months	\$50.00
I. S. Jones, desk and chair	35.90

\$85.90

Detail 3—Care and supplies for Town Hall and library

Electric lights for library	\$67.59
Electric lights for hall	51.60
C. S. Toppan, wood for Town Hall and library	74.50
A. L. Joplin, labor at Town Hall.	2.50
E. W. Howe, labor at library	2.45
J. S. Gilman, care of town clock.	5.00
Jennie Godfrey, cleaning Town Hall	8.00
C. F. Fifula, labor75
C. H. Whittier, stove	5.00
E. G. Cole Co., coal for library . .	92.56
Thomas Leavitt, piano	2.86
Gerald Thomas	1.50
J. A. Janvrin, lumber	3.44
Abbott Norriss, insurance	32.12
Central Heating Co., furnace . . .	75.00

\$424.87

PROTECTION OF LIFE AND PROPERTY.

Detail 4—Police Department

Police Robert E. Tolman at beach	\$229.13
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Edward McFarland at beach.	180.00
Arthur Rowe at beach.....	248.55
W. K. Parker	8.50
G. W. Philbrick	33.39
F. H. Thomson, carnival week	24.50
R. E. Tolman, carnival week..	14.50
E. McFarland, carnival week..	23.00
William Collins, carnival week	12.00
Arthur Knowles, carnival week	24.00
John Roberts, carnival week.	24.00
Arthur McDonald, carnival week	24.00
Henry Wood, carnival week..	16.00
Joseph Lesly, carnival week..	12.00
Arthur Rowe, at fire.....	11.50
R. E. Tolman, at fire.....	11.62
Fred Stanwood, at fire	2.50
Fred Hanham, fire	6.00
Myron Norton, fire	6.00
R. E. Tolman, tramps, town.	13.97
R. E. Tolman, painting police station	4.50
Julia Locke, auto to Brentwood	5.00
Carlton Chick, auto	8.00
Lewis Clark, auto	2.50
Walter Gore, auto	10.35

\$955.51

Detail 5—Fire Department

Paid C. C. Fire Hose Co., hose..	\$552.40
C. C. Fire Hose Co., hose	68.80
Hampton Water Works to hydrant	1,000.00
H. M. Lamprey, forrest fire..	15.00
F. S. Mason, team	5.00
E. Langley, teaming hose to W. E. Jones	10.00

F. L. Burtel, teaming hose to	
W. E. Jones	5.00
John Snyder, to Mar. 12, 1915	10.00
Charles C. White, to Mar. 12,	
1915	5.83
W. K. Parker, to Mar. 12, 1915	9.67
Leavitt Brown, to Mar. 12, 1915	10.00
Oscar Pinear, to Mar. 12, 1915	10.00
Marvin Young, to Mar. 12,	
1915	6.83
Ray Hazleton, to Mar. 12, 1915	10.00
Frank R. Redman, to Mar.	
12, 1915	10.00
James M. Lamprey, to Mar.	
12, 1915	4.84
W. M. Blake, to Mar. 12, 1915	10.00
Oliver W. Hobbs, to Mar. 12,	
1915	10.00
Arthur Fogg, to Mar. 12, 1915	10.00
Ray Piper, to Mar. 12, 1915..	6.82
Charles D. Palmer, to Mar.	
12, 1915	10.00
Fred Hanham, to Mar. 12, 1915	10.00
Stanley Fogg, to Mar. 12, 1915	10.00
Eben Cook, to Mar. 12, 1915..	4.84
Henry Hanson, to Mar. 12, 1915	10.00
Forrest Blake, to Mar. 12, 1915	4.34
Oscar R. Stewart, to Mar. 12,	
1915	10.00
Myron J. Norton, to Mar. 12,	
1915	10.00
Clinton J. Durant, to Mar. 12,	
1915	6.83
Frank R. Redman, fires	37.33
Robert Ring, beach fireman..	10.00
Chas. L. Hills, beach fireman.	10.00
D. Munsey, beach fireman...	5.00

C. W. Ross, beach fireman...	10.00
E. L. Nudd, beach fireman...	10.00
T. Powers, beach fireman....	10.00
L. C. Ring, beach fireman...	10.00
P. Murphy, beach fireman...	5.00
E. Murphy, beach fireman...	5.00
Thos. L. Sanborn, beach fire- man	10.00
John C. White, beach fireman	10.00
F. L. Burtel, beach fireman...	10.00
D. J. Mahoney, beach fireman	10.00
K. Ross	10.00
G. Ashworth	10.00
E. Langley	10.00
F. J. O'Dea	10.00
C. Nason	10.00
C. H. Greeley	10.00
J. S. Dudley	10.00
W. J. Drew	10.00
K. Ross, team	31.50
Thos. Nudd, rent of house ...	150.00
Amesbury Fire Dept., beach fire, Sept. 23	46.00
Exeter Fire Dept., beach fire, Sept. 23	64.25
Exeter Fire Depart., hose burnt	66.23
Portsmouth Fire Dept.	92.00
C. H. Greeley	3.00
Frank Redman, fireman 1915	6.65
Elmer King, fireman 1915 ...	5.00
E. Cook	3.00
Frank A. Marston, Lane fire..	2.50
F. S. Mason, housing and car- ing for wagon	50.00
M. Hoagland, kindergarden for Town Hall	12.00

Oscar Stone, insurance at beach	24.00
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\$2,635.16

Detail 6—Moth Extermination

Paid Forrest Blake	\$12.00
Ralph Mace	12.00
Bertie Lamprey	12.00
Lee B. Lamprey	12.00
Perley Lamprey	12.00
E. P. Brown	13.00
K. Church	4.00
B. H. Philbrick	16.00
Fred E. Perkins	25.00
John A. Moulton	16.00
George Redman	16.00
J. Durant	14.00
J. C. Lamprey	14.00
Russell Perkins	16.00
Ralph Perkins	16.00
E. O. Emery	14.00
E. M. Tilton	15.00
F. L. Hill	17.00
H. L. Smart	14.00
E. C. Glinn	12.00
Major Gilman	12.00
L. W. Cook	24.00
F. Towle	14.00
Walter Godfrey	16.00
F. Miler	2.00
Theo. Lamprey	14.00
Oliver Hobbs	16.00
Eben Cook	17.00
Selectmen on bounties	105.00
Samuel Cabot, creosote	10.89
J. Breck & Son, pruner	10.53

W. M. Samin, brushes	4.50
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\$527.92

Detail 7—Damage by Dogs

Paid Horace M. Lane, license fees	\$15.20
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\$15.20

HEALTH AND SANITATION.**Detail 8—Health Department**

Paid A. W. Gookin, collecting	
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garbage	\$283.50
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I. S. Jones, use of horses	56.00
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Dr. S. M. Ward, Board of	
Health	10.00

\$349.50

Detail 9—Vital Statistics

Paid Dr. M. F. Smith, return of	
births and deaths	\$3.25

Horace M. Lane, return of	
births and deaths	8.70

\$11.95

Detail 10—Sewer Maintenance

Paid Martin R. Jones, 1914	\$25.00
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Charles Denhurt	9.00
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Myron Norton	21.00
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Arthur Collman	75.75
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J. B. Brown	25.00
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C. F. Fifield	7.46
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E. Langley	14.35
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\$177.56

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

Detail 11—Highway Maintenance, Town Account

Paid Fred E. Perkins, Dist. No. 5	\$8.00
Austin B. Mace, Dist. No. 6..	171.95
John P. Blake, Dist. No. 4....	32.00
C. L. Lane, Dist. No. 4.....	72.00
Frank B. Brown, Dist. No. 9..	207.26
Harry Munsey, Dist. No. 8....	204.95
I. E. Leavitt, Dist. No. 10, '14.	156.00
I. E. Leavitt, Dist. No. 10, '15.	270.45
F. S. Mason, Dist. No. 7.....	98.81
E. J. Marsh	31.50

 \$1,252.92

Detail 12—State Aid Maintenance

Paid John Hartnut, boulevard ..	\$412.24
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Detail 13—Highway Trunk Line Maintenance \$1,884.77

Highway tarvia and oil, town teach.....	2,985.10
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Paid Barrett Mfg. Co., tarvia...	\$2,734.03
Standard Oil Co., oil.....	239.18
Boston & Maine R. R. Co., freight	317.68
C. L. Lane, team	105.00
Frank A. Palmer, team.....	150.00
C. Delaney, team	225.00
F. S. Mason	66.25
Fred E. Perkins	99.00
Hale Lamprey, labor	8.00
E. Moriarty, labor	15.00
Howard Young, labor	43.00
H. E. McDonald, labor	38.10
Theo. Lamprey, labor	35.32
Perley Lamprey, labor	75.32
George Redman, labor	17.00
E. S. Lamprey	10.00
C. A. Blake	15.00

Frank Hill	63.32
Ralph Mace	66.32
E. O. Emery	54.32
C. L. Blake	58.00
Oliver Hobbs	50.32
John P. Blake	198.00
J. B. Brown	60.00
Exeter & Hampton St. R. R. Co., car and gravel.....	123.60
Joseph S. Delaney	3.11
Detail 14—Street Lighting	
Paid Exeter & Hampton Elec- tric Co., town lights.....	\$2,457.18
Exeter & Hampton Electric Co., beach lights	294.38
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\$2,751.56	

HIGHWAYS.

Detail 15—General Expenses	
Paid J. Brick & Son, tools	\$33.52
Good Roads Mfg. Co., dray ..	28.50
W. M. Batchelder, bridgeplank ..	100.70
H. L. Bond Co., tools	26.73
H. J. Norton, labor	35.25
A. L. Joplin, labor on bridge..	124.13
L. F. and F. E. Smith, gravel	29.40
C. M. Batchelder	30.40
J. A. Janvrin, lumber	3.15
C. White, snow-paths	2.00
W. Gillpatrick snow-paths ...	1.50
F. Towle, snow-paths	2.00
L. W. Cook, snow-paths	11.50
Horace M. Lane	1.00
Kenneth Ross, snow-paths ...	11.25

William S. Brown, snow-paths	4.63
Fred W. Brown	7.70
G. K. Webster	12.00
R. S. James	2.00
Benj. Leavitt	15.00
J. G. Brown	3.00
F. J. Lifula	10.00
Ira Atkinson	7.00
E. G. Cole & Co., 1914.....	18.00
A. L. Coffin	18.00
J. H. Durant	14.00
Town of North Hampton tax.	.72
Kenneth Ross	12.43

\$565.51

EDUCATION.

Detail 16—Libraries

S. Albert Shaw, appropriation..	\$550.00
C. E. Toppan, land	35.00

\$585.00

CHARITIES.

Detail 17—Town poor

Paid E. G. Shaw, Mrs. Hobbs..	\$106.00
J. C. Blake, wood, Mrs. Hobbs	15.00
J. A. Lane & Co., supplies for	
Wm. Lamprey	32.91
W. H. Hobbs, supplies for Wm.	
Lamprey	1.32
M. F. Sprague, rent for Wm.	
Lamprey	10.00

\$165.23

Detail 18—County Poor

Paid E. G. Cole & Co., supplies for Alex Thomson	\$30.20
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PATRIOTIC PURPOSES.**Detail 19—Memorial Day**

Paid J. G. Mace	\$75.00
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Detail 20—Recreation, Parks

Paid I. S. Jones	\$35.00
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**PUBLIC SERVICE OWNED AND OPERATED BY
THE TOWN.****Detail 21—Cemeteries**

Paid Hampton Cemetery Ass'n.	\$300.00	
J. Brick & Son, lawn mower..	8.25	
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		\$308.25

Detail 22—Interest

Paid on temporary loans		
Piscataqua Savings Bank	\$575.00	
Paid on notes		
Piscataqua Savings Bank....	575.00	
Cong. Society	245.00	
Clara Poor Philbrick	145.00	
Ira E. Lane	10.00	
Sarah E. Lane	10.00	
Joseph L. Nudd	25.00	
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		\$1,585.00

Detail 23—Paid on principal of trust funds used by town

Paid Selectmen, interest in Towle fund	\$140.00
C. M. Batchelder, cemetery fund	50.00
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\$190.00

OUTLAY FOR NEW CONSTRUCTION AND PERMA- NENT IMPROVEMENTS.

Detail 24—Bridges, Town Account

Turnpike Bridge

Paid Alfred Spinney as per con- tract	\$798.00
E. G. Shaw, labor	20.90
W. A. Grover, services	14.25

\$833.15

Detail 25—Grading three streets at Pines, part of street at Place Cove road from first corner to East End School house, and road from Young's corner to Ira Atkinson's

Paid Alfred Johnson, team	\$70.00
Eugene Leavitt, team	541.00
F. S. Mason, team	144.00
S. L. Nudd, team	121.75
G. W. Barbour, team	255.00
Kenneth Ross, team	99.00
C. DeLancey, team	427.50
F. A. Palmer, team	259.50
J. H. Philbrick, team	101.00
C. H. Brown, team	247.00
C. L. Lane, team	398.00
Lester Mace, labor	32.00
W. E. Lamprey, labor	22.43
Richard Lamprey, labor	22.00
Perly Lamprey, labor	30.00
J. H. Page	96.40
E. C. Emery	83.57
E. Moriarty	28.00
G. Philbrick	35.91
A. Robert	33.66
C. W. Clement	12.00

J. E. Lamprey	54.45
M. A. Cleveland	22.00
C. A. Blake	201.50
L. W. Cook	12.00
M. Connell	12.00
Hale Lamprey	33.00
Oliver Hobbs	171.46
John P. Blake	64.00
Fred E. Perkins	216.60
J. B. Brown	45.00
Fred Towle	50.00
E. P. Brown	57.22
W. E. Miler	28.00
G. Redman	48.45
T. Locke	64.00
F. L. Hill	82.10
Theo. Lamprey	34.00
Ralph Mace	59.00
L. S. Lamprey	205.32
C. L. Lamprey	176.82
John Moulton	28.50
Charles Denhurt	76.00
C. L. Blake	119.50
Austin Johnson	36.50

\$4,957.16

Detail 26—Sewer Construction

From Leanth corner to Hotel Ashworth in Glade Path
to Catholic Church

Paid Eastern Clay & Gravel

Co., pipe	\$493.92
Harold L. Bond Co.	164.93
Merrimac Foundry Co.	75.70
Central Heating Co., iron pipe	354.44
J. A. Janvrin, lumber and birch	517.83
Augustus Young, lear	23.27

Otic W. Marston, labor	50.40
J. H. Philbrick, team	98.25
Frank E. Jones, team	36.00
C. L. Lane	27.00
T. A. Brown, labor	74.25
Boston & Maine R. R. Co., freight	247.19
Earl Smith, labor	4.00
Ralph Perkins, labor	89.96
G. E. Abbott, labor	50.20
John McDonald, labor	81.74
Frank Bailey, labor	102.62
William McDonald, labor	81.74
Oren Seely	36.22
C. J. O'Leary	94.72
G. H. Thurston	72.40
John Banks	101.74
W. S. McKay	92.62
L. W. Cook	138.84
D. Luigy	6.00
W. J. Seely	145.28
Edward F. Sullivan	13.00
T. Ellis	13.00
H. L. Smart	135.84
D. S. Gilman	134.94
Joe Gay	19.00
H. Longland	102.98
Eben Cook	29.00
E. C. King	33.00
Fred Towle	156.40
I. Stanley	156.06
A. J. Roberts	127.62
G. K. Webster	199.28
C. W. Clement	161.52
W. T. Ross	500.83

J. B. Brown	57.00
F. S. Mann	7.37

\$5,108.10

Detail 27—Sidewalk Construction, Beach

Paid Eastern Clay Goods Co.,

cement	\$140.00
S. L. Nudd, team	54.00
C. W. Marston, labor	35.90
C. Connell	16.00
Hale Lamprey	20.75
J. H. Page	18.00
E. G. Shaw	11.32
G. Philbrick	16.50
J. E. Lamprey	26.00
W. E. Lamprey	12.00
J. B. Brown	18.00

\$368.47

Town.

Eastern Clay Goods Co.,

cement	\$140.20
F. Hanson, gas	8.00
S. L. Nudd, team	155.25
L. W. Cook, labor	51.00
Hale Lamprey, labor	41.10
C. W. Clement, labor	52.00
M. Connell, labor	48.00
G. K. Webster, labor	47.00
G. Philbrick, labor	24.00
J. H. Page, labor	12.73
C. M. Denhurt	23.00
A. Roberts	24.00
C. W. Hobbs	24.00
J. B. Brown	84.00

\$734.28

Detail 28—East End Drain

Paid C. W. Clement, labor	\$10.00
F. L. Hill, labor	14.00
A. J. Robert, labor	14.00
L. W. Cook, labor	14.00
E. C. Emery, labor	8.00
Oliver Hobbs	14.00
Hale Lamprey, labor	12.00
G. W. Philbrick, labor	14.00
Perly Lamprey, labor	14.00
M. Connell, labor	13.00
J. H. Philbrick, labor	11.00
J. B. Brown, labor	24.00
G. K. Webster, labor	14.00
H. L. Bond Co., labor	28.80

 \$194.80

Detail 29—Breakwater.

Paid H. L. Rand Co.	\$8.98
Eastern Clay Goods Co., - cement	783.38
W. M. Batchelder, plank	54.38
J. A. Janvrin, lumber	4.87
Harry D. Munsey, team	22.75
S. L. Nudd, team	243.00
J. Brick & Son	27.73
Exeter & Hampton St. R. R. Co., car	153.18
J. B. Brown	51.00
M. E. McDonald	6.25
Howard Young	10.00
E. Moriarty	28.88
Theo. Lamprey	29.00

E. S. Drake	40.76
L. W. Cook	33.98
M. Connell	106.43
Hale Lamprey	121.28
H. E. Hunt	55.43
E. G. Shaw	48.18
J. E. Lamprey	71.08
W. E. Lamprey	99.00
G. Philbrick	79.96
G. Winton	33.30
J. H. Page	75.08
C. W. Clement	31.98
C. W. Marten	243.40
Thomas Leavitt	13.50
Jere Beni	6.37

\$2,483.13

Detail 30—Indebtedness

Paid Piscataqua Savings Bank	
Notes and Interest	\$10,041.67
Picataqua Savings Bank	
Notes and Interest	5,104.17

\$15,145.84

Detail 31—Payment to other Government Divisions

Taxes paid to State	\$3,632.00
Taxes paid to County	3,997.87
Taxes paid to Precinct	1,450.00
Taxes paid to Schools—	
Paid John F. Martin	4,287.00
Paid C. S. Toppen, High school	1,642.86
Paid J. A. Rin, High school	

supplies	157.87	
Paid A. T. Lane, Supt. of Schools	500.00	
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		\$15,667.60

Detail 32—Hampton Beach Imp. Co. Law Suit

Eastman, Scammon & Gardner, legal services—		
From Jan. 1, 1911, to Jan. 1, 1915	\$1,600.00	
From Jan. 1, 1915, to Jan. 1, 1916	41.79	
Court costs and expenses.....	225.09	
Paid Sheriff's fees	158.68	
Paid Page, Bartlett & Mitchell, 1912 Tax	584.97	
1913 Tax	634.52	
Paid J. W. Mann, 1914 Tax....	625.00	
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		\$3,870.05

Detail 33—All Other Payments

Non-Resident Property bought by the Town	\$596.76	
Resident Property bought by the Town	461.38	
Abatement on Property and Polls		
Gertrude B. Watts, on land..	3.00	
Florence Power, on bank stock	12.50	
J. Bowker	9.12	
J. Woodburn, on land	3.75	
Heirs of Moses A. Dow	1.25	
Henry Eno, on horse	1.25	

Lewis L. Mace, on boat	1.25
Joseph F. Mace, soldier's exemption	12.43
Charles H. Palmer, on boat..	1.25
G. H. Henshaw, on horse63
Alex. Thomson, on horse69
Fred Willy, on cow63
August Black, on land	3.25
F. E. Jones, on land78
Boston & Maine R. R. Co. freight bill	396.54
William T. Rin, surveying	69.00
E. G. Cole Co., supplies, 1914..	113.37
I. W. Brown, labor on ledge Jenkins	214.79
Dyer Supply Co., concrete mixer	340.00

\$2,243.62

JOSEPH B. BROWN,
 ELROY G. SHAW,
 BYRON E. REDMON,
 Selectmen of Hampton.

AUDITORS' REPORT.

We have this day completed the examination of the above accounts, insofar as they relate to receipts and expenditures, and have found the receipts correctly cast and the expenditures correctly cast and well vouched.

CHARLES FRANCIS ADAMS,
ALBERT K. CHURCH,
S. ALBERT SHAW,

Auditors.

Hampton, N. H., Feb. 19, 1916.

Report of Cemetery Assn.

FUNDS FOR PERPETUAL CARE OF LOTS

Washington H. Godfrey deposited in Amoskeag savings bank at Manchester, N. H.	\$100 00
Frances D. Lane deposited in Amoskeag savings bank at Manchester, N. H.	50 00
Haward G. Lane for heirs of E. W. Lane deposited in Amoskeag savings bank at Manchester, N. H.	50 00
Mary B. Pearl deposited in Amoskeag savings bank at Manchester, N. H.	100 00
John E. Thayer deposited in New Hampshire savings bank at Concord, N. H. for care of lot in Pine Grove cemetery the Thayer lot	100 00
D. W. Emery deposited in New Hampshire savings bank at Concord, N. H. for care of lot in South cemetery, known as the Willard Emery lot	100 00
Mrs. Mary E. Batchelder deposited in Amoskeag savings bank at Manchester, N. H.	100 00
Total	\$600 00

RECEIPTS

Balance on hand.....	\$40 82
From Caroline C. Shea	2 50
Mrs. Nelson Blake.....	2 50
John W. Ma on, dues.....	50
Mrs. John W. Mason, dues	50
Town of Hampton	300 00
John Payson Blake	15 00
New Hampshire Savings Bank Int.	6 00
Charles R. Palmer.....	2 50
J Freeman Williams, mowing lot....	25
Willard Emery, mowing lot.....	25
Thomas Lane, mowing lot	25
Oliver Godfrey, mowing lot.....	25
Mrs. J. R. Davis, mowing lot	25
Mrs. C. L. Bartlett, mowing lot ...	2 50
Joshua E. James, mowing lot	25
Austin Stewart, mowing lot.....	25
Annie E. Akerman	16 00
Jerry Lock, mowing lot	50
J. H. Philbrick, mowing lot.....	25
Elsie Turner	2 50
Interest from town on lots	50 00
Amy H. Barker.....	2 50
E. Adel i'e Towle	2 50
Mrs Walter M. Perkins	2 50
C. S. Topp'n, labor	7 00
Josiah Palmer	2 50
Frances A. Smith	2 50
Oliver Nudd	2 50
Oscar Jenkins	2 50
Thomas Perkins.....	2 50
Int. from Amosgeak Savings Banks	12 24
Mrs. Fred P. Sanborn	2 50
W. M. Batchelder	5 00
Joseph Perkins	2 50

Howard G. Lane	2 50
Mary Johnson	2 50
S. H. MacCutcherson	16 00
Marcia Garland	2 50
Mrs. B. F. Perkins	16 00
Hattie A. Cutler	3 75
Mrs. Emmons Towle	2 50
Clifford Drake, labor	43 00
James Blanchard	2 50
Ernest G. Cole	2 50
Annie C. Brown	16 00
J. Parker Blake	2 50
Flora Wilbur	2 50
E. P. Brown, hay	6 00
Mrs. Charles Marston	2 50
Mrs. Levi O. Blake	2 50
Mrs. Walter Palmer	2 50
Mrs. R. P. DeLancey	1 00

 \$622 11

EXPENDITURES

Paid Hampton's Union for notice	\$1 00
H. A. Cleveland, labor	24 00
Henry T. Weare, labor	18 00
H. A. Cleveland	23 00
H. A. Cleveland, labor	19 00
James S. DeLancey, labor and stock	16 21
H. A. Cleveland, labor	20 00
John A. Janvriin, stock	8 80
C. T. Thurston Sons, trees	12 90
H. T. Weare, labor	15 00
H. A. Cleveland, labor	16 00
H. A. Cleveland, labor and lawn mower	20 35
Oliver Hobbs, labor	11 00
Henry T. Weare, labor	8 00

E. P. Brown.....	27 00
B. & M. Railroad, freight	77
E. P. Brown, labor & horse	14 50
Henry T. Weare, labor	12 00
H. A. Cleveland, "	22 40
Henry T. Weare, "	15 00
C. S. Toppan, loam	3 00
Fred Towle, laboc	8 00
Oliver Hobbs, labor	7 00
Fred Towle, labor	10 00
Henry T. Weare, labor	12 00
Fred Towle, labor	34 00
Central Heating & Plumbing Co. labor.....	1 00
E. G. Cole Co. stock	80
I. S. Jones, salary	50 00
A L Joplin, stock & labor.....	3 00
Henry T. Weare, labor.....	10 00
Hampton Furniture & Burial Co....	6 00
J. A. Lane & Co., stock	5 81
E P. Brown, labor,	90 15
Balance	76 42

Total

622 11

CHARLES M. BATCHELDER, Treasurer

Report of Library Committee

RECEIPTS

Received balance from last year.....	\$6 34
from town.....	550 00
fines.....	9 56
library cards.....	2 58
catalogues.....	2 00
Total.....	<u>\$570 48</u>

EXPENDITURES

Paid for books.....	194 49
magazines and papers.....	65 75
binding magazines.....	26 80
re-binding books.....	17 00
200 gummed labels.....	1 75
200 library cards.....	1 50
lumber for box and labor.....	1 50
paint, shelac and postage.....	1 10
2 record books and stationery.....	1 00
Map of New England.....	1 95
freight.....	2 35
librarian's services.....	225 00
janitor's services.....	30 00
Total.....	<u>\$570 19</u>
Balance on hand.....	29

S. ALBERT SHAW, For the Committee

Report of Treasurer

RECEIPTS.

Balance in Treasury	\$625.96
Received of John W. Mason, Collector, 1914	3,891.75
John W. Mason, Collector, 1915	29,068 88
John W. Mason, collector, polls	600 00
Taxes, 1910-11-12-13-14....	1101 47
Land rent.....	2709 00
Excise Commission.....	103 55
Sewer assessments	659 25
entrance fees.....	340 00
State railroad tax.....	548 76
savings bank.....	889 88
literary fund.....	182 00
school fund.....	250 00
Highways.....	899 77
First Nat. bank, notes.....	29,712 50
Hampton Beach Imp. Co....	500 00
Dog Licenses.....	184 00
Eliz. Pray, note.....	400 00
Cemetery funds.....	52 00
Eastman, Scammon & Gardner judgment and costs.....	900 21
Newcomb case.....	167 18
Street railway, pop corn license	100 00
Robert King, " "	300 00
Graves & Ramsdell, license	140 00
Goldstein Bros. license.....	100 00
Sidewalk assessments.....	150 00

Judge Joplin fines	212 20
Cement pipe	6 00
Sign Co.	4 00
Gravel.....	31 25
Stoves.....	1 00
Empty bags.....	320 00
Pedlers' licenses.....	40 00
Rockingham Co., Alex Thompson	81 68
State, forest fire bill	7 75
Rent of town hall.....	129 00
Interest on deposits	38 00
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Total receipts	\$75,447 14

EXPENDITURES

Paid State Tax.....	\$3,632 00
County Tax.....	3997 87
Sewer Department.....	5389 77
Outstanding Order	2338 50
Selectmen's Order.....	57,852 56
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Total Expenditures.....	\$73,210 70
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Balance in treasury.....	\$2,236 44

HERBERT PERKINS, Treasurer

AUDITORS' REPORT.

We have this day completed the examination of the above accounts, insofar as they relate to receipts and expenditures, and have found the receipts correctly cast and the expenditures correctly cast and well vouched.

CHARLES FRANCIS ADAMS,
ALBERT K. CHURCH,
S. ALBERT SHAW,

Auditors.

Hampton, N. H., Feb. 19, 1916.

Hampton Beach Precinct

RECEIPTS

Balance in treasury from last year	\$644 19
Received from town in four orders	1250 00
Received from town of Hampton for 6 month's rent of en- gine house....	75 00
Total receipts.....	<u>\$1969 19</u>

EXPENDITURES

Paid Thomas Nudd 6 month's rent engine house.....	\$75 00
Exeter Banking Co. Water Co.'s note.....	518 41
Exeter & Hampton Electric Co. lighting engine house	19 28
C. F. Fifield labor & stock club room	10 61
Kenneth Ross, hauling hose....	6 00
Geo Felch, moving and setting up boat house....	5 00
Cleaning Beach.....	177 75
Charles H. Brown. teaming....	6 50
Harry Porter, wiring.....	6 60
E. G. Cole & Co., coal and gro- ceries for engine house....	10 28
Labor on and cleaning hose....	9 50
Exeter & Hampton Electric Co.	

boulevard lights.....	410 00
Geo. E. Felch, labor.....	7 88
L. C. Ring stock and labor....	7 21
John C. White expenses to Boston for two men.....	6 00
Labor on Engine house.....	31 50
A. P. Wendell, supplies.....	12 05
John C. White, labor and cash paid out	14 81
John A. Janvrin, lumber.....	60 67
J. M. Hardy, supplies' fire dept.	16 25
Eureka Fire Mfg. Co. hose and nozzles.....	290 00
Thomas L. Sanborn, services as Treasurer.....	15 00
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Total expenditures.....	1716 30
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Balance in treasury.....	252 89

THOMAS L. SANBORN, Treasurer.

AUDITORS' REPORT

We have this day examined the foregoing accounts of Thomas L. Sanborn Treasurer and find them well vouched and correctly cast.

WARREN J. DREW }
JOSEPH S. DUDLEY } Auditors

Hampton Beach, N. H., February 25, 1916.

Academy and High School



COURSES OF INSTRUCTION: ACADEMIC, AGRICULTURE,
DOMESTIC ARTS

PRINCIPAL.....GEORGE H. BERNHEISEL
TEACHER OF DOMESTIC ARTS.....CHARLOTTE F. JENNE
ASSISTANT.....FLORENCE M. ASELTINE

CALENDAR FOR SCHOOL YEAR—1915-1916

Fall term, 12 weeks begins Sept. 7, 1915

Winter term, 12 weeks begins Nov. 29, 1915

Spring term, 12 weeks begins March 6, 1916

Regular exercises end June 9, 1916

Baccalaureate sermon, June 11, 1916

Graduation, June 14, 1916

Class graduated June 1915, 8

Average enrollment this school year, 69

Percentage of Attendance, 94

Financial Statement

FUNDS

Indianapolis Water Co. bond....	\$1000
Pacific Telephone.....	1000
Southern Bell Telephone.....	500
Chicago R. R.	1000
N. Y. Central R. R.	1000
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	1000
Merrimac Land Co.	500
Betsey Seavey Memorial Fund	5000
Mass. Real Estate Stock.....	20 shares
Special deposit awaiting disposition	139 49

**Report of C. S. Toppan, Treasurer, and A. K. Church
Financial Secretary, of Board of Trustees, for
year ending Feb. 15, 1916**

RECEIPTS

From last year.....	\$90 30
Hampton acct. 1914 appropriation,	200 00
Edward Tuck, gift.....	300 00
Hampton balance 1914, approp.	142 86
Dividend on stock.....	35 00
Hampton acct. 1915 approp.....	200 00
North Hampton, tuition.....	140 00
Interest on funds.....	80 00
Proceeds \$200 note.....	196 96
Hampton Falls, tuition.....	30 00
Proceeds \$300 note.....	292 44
Seabrook, tuition.....	10 00
Hampton acct. 1915 approp.....	300 00
Mrs. Carpenter, gift.....	50 00
Interest on funds.....	251 00
Hampton acct. 1915 approp.....	500 00
Dividend stock.....	35 00
Interest on funds	80 00
North Hampton, tuition.....	163 33
Hampton Falls, tuition.....	60 00
Seabrook, tuition.....	70 00
Proceeds \$300 note.....	292 44
Hampton completing 1915 approp.	500 00
Hampton Falls, tuition.....	60 00
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.....	\$4,079 33

EXPENDITURES

Paid W. B. Elwell, teaching.....	\$75 00
Miss Blake, teaching.....	78 33
Roland Noyes, janitor.....	15 00

Miss Jenne, teaching.....	66 60
Miss Blake, teaching.....	25 00
Mr. Elwell, teaching.....	142 28
H. G. Lane, acct. \$325 note.....	300 00
Mr. Elwell, teaching.....	100 00
Miss Jenne, teaching.....	50 00
Miss Blake, teaching.....	50 00
Herbert Perkins, supplies.....	4 45
Roland Noyes, janitor.....	15 00
H. G. Lane, bal. \$325 note	25 00
Rockingham Printing Co., supplies	10 00
Mr. Elwell, teaching.....	212 72
Miss Blake, teaching.....	91 67
Miss Jenne, teaching.....	116 89
Mrs. W. H. Brown, ribbons.....	1 15
E. G. Cole Co., acct, old bill for coal, etc....	300 00
First National Bank, \$200 note....	200 00
Victor G. Garland, supplies.....	2 70
E. G. Cole Co., balance on old bill	37 31
Hampton Water Works Co., water....	8 25
J. A. Lane & Co., supplies.....	16 39
John A. Janvrin, supplies.....	3 63
Mrs. M. M. Dow, labor.....	13 00
Henry Eno, labor	20 25
Mrs. Nellie Blake, labor.....	6 00
Exeter Rose Conservatories, supplies	4 18
C. N. Taylor, water connections....	46 00
Albert T. Johnson, supplies.....	4 17
Hampton School Board, one half moving pianos	7 50
G. H. Bernheisel, teaching.....	100 00
Miss C. F. Jenne, teaching.....	66 67
Miss F. M. Aseltine, teaching.....	66 67
Rockingham Printing Co., supplies	3 50
Edwin S. Drake, labor.....	8 00
J. A. Lane Co., supplies.....	32 58

Mr. Bernheisel, teaching.....	100 00
Miss Jenne, teaching.....	66 67
Miss Aseltine, teaching.....	66 67
Joseph F. Holmes, labor & material	6 13
T. A. Brown, labor and material....	37 63
Mr. Bernheisel, teaching.....	100 00
Miss Jenne, teaching.....	66 67
Miss Aseltine, teaching.....	66 67
Roland I. Noyes, janitor, etc.....	18 24
Hampton Plumbing and Hardware Co., labor and material.....	20 92
C. S. Toppan, supplies.....	10 50
I. A. Glines, supplies.....	4 00
E. G. Cole Co., supplies.....	42 37
John A. Janvrin, supplies.....	4 58
Miss Jenne, teaching.....	66 67
Miss Aseltine, teaching....	66 67
First National Bank \$300 note....	300 00
Mr. Bernheisel, teaching.....	100 00
J. S. Gilman, labor and supplies.....	1 50
Roland I. Noyes, janitor, etc.....	10 20
Dishes, kitchenware, table linen, silver- ware.....	20 87
J. A. Lane & Co., supplies.....	44 67
F. B. Towle, supplies.....	3 66
Central Heating & Plumbing Co., sup- plies	17 20
Harry I. Noyes, labor & material....	20 82
John A. Janvrin, supplies.....	2 99
G. A. Smith, labor and material....	11 64
Mr. Bernheisel, teaching.....	100 00
Miss Jenne, teaching.....	66 67
Miss Aseltine, teaching.....	66 67
Balance on hand Feb 15, 1916.....	242 17
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	\$4,079 33
Owe bank on note	300 00

Recapitulation**RECEIPTS**

From last year.....	\$90 30
Balance town appropriation, 1914	342 86
Town appropriation 1915 in full	1,500 00
Income from invested funds.....	481 00
Tuition out of town pupils.....	533 33
Gifts.....	350 00
Proceeds of notes discounted....	781 84
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	\$4,079 33

EXPENDITURES

Teaching	\$2,175 19
Janitor service	56 25
Cleaning building, cellar, yard, etc.....	47 25
Building repairs and equipment.....	177 74
Coal and wood.....	101 11
Domestic Arts supplies and equipment	139 90
Agriculture supplies and equipment.....	8 58
Graduation supplies and miscellaneous	18 83
Notes paid.....	825 00
Payment acct. old bill not properly chargeable to this year's expenses.....	287 31
Balance on hand Feb. 15, 1916.....	242 17
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	\$4,079 33
Owe bank on note.....	\$300 00

AUDITORS' REPORT

We have this day completed the examination of the above accounts in so far as they relate to receipts and expenditures, and have found the receipts correctly cast and the expenditures correctly cast and well vouched.

CHARLES FRANCIS ADAMS	} Auditor
ALBERT K. CHURCH	
S. ALBERT SHAW	

Hampton, N. H., February 20, 1916.

We have to report the loss by resignation of two of our former teachers—**Mr. Elwell and Miss Blake.** We desire to put on record a word of commendation for both as faithful and successful teachers, and to wish them the largest success in their new fields.

We congratulate ourselves on the present organization of the school and its rising standards. **Mr. Bernheisel**, our new principal, has proved to be a man of sterling character with high ideals, meeting the requirements of the State Board of Education, fully qualified to inaugurate the course in Agriculture and to instruct in all the necessary branches, and further, capable of supervising successfully all the various activities of the school.

Miss Jenne continues to fulfill every requirement in an eminently satisfactory manner. **Miss Aseltine**, our new assistant, has proven a most acceptable addition to our corps of teachers; the school was fortunate in securing her services.

The hope expressed in our last report has been realized. At the beginning of this school year, your Committee, with the cooperation of the Board of Trustees, was enabled to add an Agricultural course to the curriculum. The school now offers the following courses—Academic, Domestic Arts, and Agriculture. This is a great step in advance. It brings the school in closer touch with the everyday interests of the community, filling a long felt need. It gives all our boys and girls, who are willing to work for it, an opportunity to obtain an education that will be of practical use to them in after life. That this opportunity is appreciated is evidenced by the record attendance and by the number of pupils already taking the new courses. More than half of the boys have elected Agriculture and almost half of the girls are studying Domestic Arts. A school of this kind is a real asset to any town, not only directly helping our own young people to future success, but advancing the interests of the community as a whole by attracting to it, as permanent residents, families who are looking about for a desirable place, with first class educational facilities, in which to bring up their children.

Hampton is a progressive town, ready and willing to support its schools. In times past our fathers were proud of the Academy. With its new and practical courses of instruction, large attendance, splendid organization, and higher standards we, and our children, are going to point with ever increasing pride to the reorganized Hampton Academy and High School.

For the Committee,

J. A. ROSS, Chairman.

Report of School Board

ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

TEACHERS

Centre Grammar, Grades 7 and 8

Principal, MISS MARY C. POLLARD

Assistant, MISS DORIS McNEIL

East Grammar, Grades 5 and 6 MISS DOROTHY BAMFORTH

East Intermediate, Grades 3 and 4

MISS DOROTHY H. SMART

Centre Primary, Grades 1 and 2 MISS JOSEPHINE JOPLIN

North Primary, Grades 1, 2 and 3 MISS ETTA C. BLAKE

Supervisor of Music

CARL AKELEY

Printer's Note—The original copy for the Roll of Honor and Book of Achievements, which was sent out of town for machine type, was not received back and new copy could not be obtained in time. It will be printed later.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

TO THE SCHOOL BOARD AND THE CITIZENS OF HAMPTON,
N. H.:

I have the honor to present herewith my fifth annual report and the fifth in the series of the district superintendents' reports.

During the year past some perceptible gains in school efficiency have been made and improvement due to a constructive policy of gradual broadening, intensification and enrichment of the subject-matter in the elementary grades has been manifest.

The schools are now better organized and better equipped for work, the teachers have grown in power and efficiency, and generally speaking the pupils are achieving better results than heretofore, in some directions considerably in excess of the results of previous years.

On the other hand the superintendent with regret notes the prospect of an increase of non-promotions this June and the cases where better co-operation and a more thorough understanding of the purpose of the school work on the part of the parent would make retardation unnecessary and he must make his annual protest against infraction of the attendance laws and particularly the increase of tardiness.

Several changes in the teaching staff have occurred since last February. Miss Williams who had charge of the fifth and sixth grades resigned in the middle of the spring term and Miss Dorothy Thompson of Needham, Mass., a member of the junior class of Massachusetts School of Normal Arts, completed the year successfully. Since September the same position has been filled by Miss Dorothy Bamforth of Blackstone, Mass. Miss Bamforth is a graduate of Lowell Normal School, class of 1915.

We have been fortunate enough to retain the services of all the other teachers.

The record of attendance for the school year ending July 15, 1915, has shown some improvement over that of the year previous. The averages for the fall term, 1915, are considerably higher than for the fall term, 1914. The unenviable record of 238 cases of tardiness for the year 1913-1914 has been increased to 317 cases for the years 1914-1915. Since last September a marked increase in this respect has been shown. In most cases these tardinesses are inexcusable, and parents display an amazing disregard for the plainly stated laws of our state.

The transfer of the third grade from the Center to the East building mentioned in last year's report has worked very successfully. The arrangement of school sessions giving but three-quarters of an hour for noon intermission apparently works hardship to some parents and pupils. Since the conditions which made necessary this arrangement have for the most part disappeared, during the spring and fall terms the noon intermission might profitably be extended until one o'clock and the closing hour be made half past three o'clock.

The following table plainly shows that the percentage of eighth grade promotions entering high schools has been steadily rising and last June reached the highest point attainable.

YEAR.	HAMPTON.	STATE AV.
1910,	64	83
1912,	86	87.4
1913,	95	83
1914,	95	
1915,	100	

Naturally we cannot hope to attain every year as high a percentage as in 1915, but we should strive to maintain such an efficiency that we seldom would have classes with eighth grade pupils who could not graduate in June.

and enter some high school the following September. Two years ago efforts were made by the superintendent and the teachers to improve the quality of the oral reading, the handwriting and the spelling in the schools. That reasonable progress has been made is certain. The plan to form a speller from the misspelled words in the English papers of the pupils and from other lists of words such as the Cleveland list and the business correspondence list compiled by the Russell Sage Foundation was carried out and as a result we now have "The Hampton Speller" in actual use. Each year the lists will be revised and the vocabularies of the individual pupils drawn upon for additional words.

Letter writing has been taken up by the pupils of the third grade at the commencement of the winter term. To add interest the third and fourth grade pupils make exchanges with those who are in the same grades in the other towns of the supervisory union. Here stress has been laid upon language work so that the pupils may early obtain practice in punctuation, sentence structure, correct usage of words, correspondence, social and business force.

Last year the home garden work in connection with the Nature Study course was extended, about one hundred gardens were planted and cultivated. Reports from the pupils were made, in some grades plans of gardens were drawn and in the fall term some of the products were brought to the school-rooms for the inspection of the superintendent. Almost every garden vegetable was grown in these gardens. A plan for the proper supervision of this work is now being devised. If a fair could be held early in the fall term of each year and prizes awarded for excellence of products displayed, interest would be stimulated in this most important phase of school work.

The sewing of the grammar grades, mentioned in last year's report, has become well established and the sewing machine presented by Mrs. Cutler has made pos-

sible much work that otherwise could not have been attempted.

To affect a proper balance to the course in sewing the grammar school should also offer manual training and woodworking, now recognized as essential to the training of pre-adolescent boys and girls and included in the school work of a large number of neighboring New Hampshire towns.

Now that we have added agriculture to the courses offered in the high school, such a preparation as a good manual training course would be especially valuable.

The increased cost of living is reflected in the higher cost of necessities of schools. To meet this the appropriation by the citizens at the disposal of the school board should be increased.

Once more the superintendent respectfully calls the attention of the citizens to needs that have been more fully discussed in previous reports; viz, medical inspection, a central building to accommodate all the elementary pupils of the town, and the gradual extension of industrial arts courses. Much has already been done relative to the last of these three needs, and the realization of the second it is hoped will not long be delayed.

The schools constitute one of the large investments of this as of every town. It is a paying investment. The returns in tangible form could easily be made very great. Effective co-operation of the citizens would treble the value of the schools to the taxpayer. The schools should be regarded not as places where preparation for living is made but rather as places where actual, real living is carried out.

There are many excellent benevolent and fraternal organizations in this community; their principles are the subject of much of the school work; their help in developing special phases of school work would be invaluable to the superintendent. More of the citizens and taxpayers should visit the school-rooms, should feel it their

duty, their privilege to offer suggestion, to "lend a hand" in making Hampton schools not merely effective but superior. Correlation of the activities of the community with the school work is necessary if we are to train our boys and our girls to assume responsibilities and to contribute to the welfare and to the wealth of Hampton.

With appreciation and gratitude for the loyal attitude and the cordial support of the members of the school board, this report is respectfully submitted.

ALBERT T. LANE,
Superintendent.

Report of J. F. Marston, Treasurer of Board of Education

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand Feb. 19, 1915,	\$ 23 99	
Received from town, balance due last year,	2,012 54	
Received from school, money for June, 1915,	4,287 00	
Received from C. M. Batchelder for sale of tickets,	159 00	
Received from C. M. Batchelder for sale of book,	5 05	
Received from high school for mov- ing pictures,	7 50	
Total receipts,	\$ 6,495 08	

EXPENDITURES:

TEACHERS.

Paid Mary C. Pollard,	\$452 00
Josephine M. Joplin,	359 50

Lucy S. Williams,	121 00
Dorothy Bamforth,	240 00
Dorothy S. Thompson,	66 00
Dorothy H. Smart,	301 00
Etta C. Blake,	259 75
Dorris L. McNeille,	306 00
Margaret S. Noyes,	36 40
C. L. Akeley, supervisor of music,	198 35

Total for teachers' salaries, \$ 2,340 00

SUPPLIES.

Paid E. E. Babb & Co.,	\$113 34
American Book Co.,	30 57
Silver Burdett Co.,	16 66
Herbert Palmer,	26 40
Charles Scribner & Sons,	32 72
Stimson & Co.,	20 12
Masury Young Co.,	13 00
Ginn & Co.,	8 33
Benj. H. Sanborn & Co.,	17 59
D. C. Heath & Co.,	7 91
Dustbane Mfg. Co.,	5 25
Edward H. Quimby,	3 00
J. A. Lane & Co.,	40 11

FUEL.

Total for supplies, \$ 335 00

Paid Warren M. Batchelder, 8 cords	
pine, 2 cords hard wood,	\$ 35 00
C. S. Toppan, 13 cds. hard wood,	
1½ cds. pine,	59 85
F. S. Mason, 8 cds. pine wood,	22 75
L. S. Brown, 2 cds. hard wood,	12 00
A. D. Garland, 2 cds. hard wood,	12 00
G. A. Blake, 1 cd. pine wood, ..	4 00
A. N. Denhurst, sawing 16 cds.	
wood,	14 60

Guy S. Garland, sawing and housing,	4 50
Carl Fogg, sawing wood,	1 00

Total for fuel, \$ 165 70

REPAIRS.

Paid Walter Palmer,	\$ 25 94
Joseph F. Holmes,	24 51
John F. Marston,	27 75
J. A. Janvrin, lumber,	2 94
John S. Gilman,	10 00
I. S. Jones,	6 95
F. L. Junkins,	4 30
J. S. DeLancey, repairs and installing water,	59 24
Central Heating and Plumbing Co.,	3 19

Total for repairs, \$ 164 82

JANITORS.

Paid Guy S. Garland, janitor,	\$ 43 50
Norman Coffin, janitor,	14 60
Eustice Hobbs, janitor,	25 50
Wallace Blake, janitor,	9 00
Orin A. Swain, janitor,	7 00

Total for janitors, \$ 99 60

MISCELLANEOUS.

Paid Charles M. Batchelder, salary, year 1914-1915,	\$ 50 00
John F. Marston, salary, year 1914-1915,	50 00
George W. Philbrook, truant officer,	10 00
S. B. Batchelder, enumerator,	6 00
F. H. Fogg, cleaning East and Center schools,	28 00

Mrs. A. Blake, cleaning North schoolhouse,	7 00
A. N. Denhurst, cleaning yard Center school,	2 75
Hampton Water Works Co.,	59 75
Morris W. Brown, tuning piano,	3 48
Frank M. Cilley, bond,	3 00
Hampton Union,	3 00
K. N. Ross, moving piano,	3 00
W. S. Hoagland, fire extinguishers,	5 00
Nelson Norton, iron shut-off, ..	60
Albert T. Lane,	1 58
Mary C. Pollard, diplomas, ..	1 80

Total for Miscellaneous, \$ 234 96

TRANSPORTATION.*

Paid Exeter, Hampton & Amesbury St. Ry.,	\$576 00
Jessie R. Towle,	217 50
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	\$ 793 50

NOTES AND INTEREST.

Paid Portsmouth Trust & Guarantee Co., one note,	\$1,500 00
Portsmouth Trust & Guarantee Co., interest,	22 46
Portsmouth Trust & Guarantee Co., interest,	8 75

Total notes and interest, \$ 1,531 21

Total expenditures,	\$ 5,664 79
Cash on hand to balance,	830 29
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	\$ 6,495 08

* A amount paid for transportation, \$793 00
 Received for tickets sold, 150 00

AUDITORS' REPORT

We have this day completed the examination of the above accounts in so far as they relate to receipts and expenditures, and have found the receipts correctly cast and the expenditures correctly cast and well vouched.

CHARLES FRANCIS ADAMS	} Auditors
ALBERT K. CHURCH	
S. ALBERT SHAW	

Hampton, N. H., February 20, 1916

REPORT OF SCHOOL MEETING HELD MARCH
15, 1915.

Meeting opened by Abbott L. Joplin, moderator, warrant read.

ARTICLE 1. Moderator :

Whole number of votes	6
For choice	4
Abbott L. Joplin had	6

and was declared elected and took the oath of office in open meeting.

ART. 2. Clerk :

Whole number of votes	12
For choice	7
Joseph B. Brown had	12

and was declared elected and took the oath of office in open meeting.

ART. 3. Member of school board for three years :

Whole number of votes	44
For choice	23
John A. Ross had	39
Albert K. Church	3
Joseph B. Brown	1
Edith C. Warren	1

and John A. Ross was declared elected and took the oath of office in open meeting.

Member of school board for two years :

Whole number of votes	104
For choice	53
Edith C. Warren had	59
Abbott L. Joplin	43
Martha P. Locke had	1
Sarah Lane had	2

and Edith C. Warren was declared elected for two years.

Treasurer :

John T. Marsten was declared elected treasurer for the ensuing year by the clerk casting one vote for him.

Voted. That the town auditor be the school auditor.

Voted. That we raise fifteen hundred dollars for the high school.

Voted. That we raise the sum of two hundred dollars for high school supplies.

Voted. That we raise the sum of two hundred dollars for school supplies and two hundred and fifty dollars for repairs.

Voted. That we raise the sum of two hundred dollars for transportation of school children.

Voted. That article 10 be passed on.

ART. 1. Report of the committee on Central schoolhouse made by Ernest G. Cole for committee.

Voted. That the report of committee be received.

Voted. That the committee be discharged.

Voted. That the report of committee on Central schoolhouse be printed in the town report.

Voted. That article 12 be indefinitely postponed.

Voted. That the thanks of the meeting be extended to the committee on Central schoolhouse.

Voted. That article 13 be indefinitely postponed.

Voted. That the meeting be adjourned.

A true copy of record.

JOSEPH B. BROWN,

Clerk.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON A CENTRAL SCHOOLHOUSE FOR HAMPTON.

HAMPTON, N. H., March, 1915.

Our annual report for the year ending Feb. 15, 1915, shows that our elementary schools make use of three buildings containing five school-rooms and one recitation room, and that we employ six teachers. The maximum enrollment for the year was 173, and this is close to what it has been for some years back.

It would therefore appear that a six room schoolhouse, with basement and assembly hall, would meet our requirements as far as we can look ahead. Such a school would comfortably accommodate forty pupils in each of the six rooms, a total of 240 pupils. There would be space in the basement for manual training and domestic arts if wanted. The assembly hall would serve the pupils and the public as a place where the school could hold its public exercises or give entertainments. Should necessity therefore arise in the future, the assembly hall could be made into additional school-rooms.

To schools of about the above-mentioned size we directed our attention, visiting Rochester at the suggestion of Mr. Morrison, state superintendent of public instruction, and Portsmouth at the suggestion of our chairman. And in this connection we wish to thank Mr. Morrison for his interest and advice ; Mr. Pugsley, superintendent of the Rochester schools, for his kindness in giving us all possible information and many valuable suggestions; and Mayor Yeaton of Portsmouth for the very special courtesy shown in conducting us to, and through, the Lafayette school, just nearing completion, and furnishing us with the exact contract price and other important details.

The buildings about which information was gathered were as follows :

SCHOOL STREET, ROCHESTER.

Two story and basement, wooden building, six school-rooms and four small rooms, the small rooms with perhaps total area to make a small assembly hall. Contract price, \$17,000, two or three years ago. Supt. Pugsley states that it could not be duplicated for this price now. Contractors, Lord and Perkins. Coal used per year, 40 tons. Janitor per year, \$400.00.

GONIC SCHOOL, ROCHESTER.

Two story and basement, brick, six school-rooms and eight small rooms. The small rooms have sufficient total area to make an assembly hall. Estimate of cost, by Mr. Pugsley, of duplicating building today, \$25,000. Ground area of building about 4,700 square feet. Coal used per year, 35 tons. Janitor per year, \$400.00.

LAFAYETTE SCHOOL, PORTSMOUTH.

Two story and basement, brick with slate roof, eight school-rooms and a number of small offices and store-rooms. Two of the school-rooms could be made into an assembly hall, making a building of six rooms and an assembly hall. Architect, Clarence P. Hoyt. Contractors, Lord and Perkins. Ground area of building about 4,400 square feet. Cube of building about 193,200.

General contract for building, including plumb-

ing, electric wiring, and painting,	\$23,898 00
Heating and ventilating contract,	2,360 00
Architect's fee, 6% of cost,	1,575 00
Curtains and electric fixtures, estimate,	250 00
Furnishings, estimate,	1,500 00

Total cost of building and equipment, \$29,583 00

These Portsmouth figures show the actual cost, today, of a model school building of first-class construction, and having the latest, and presumably the best system of lighting, heating and ventilating, and sanitary arrangement, and this building is about the size Hampton requires.

ESTIMATE OF COST OF CENTRAL SCHOOLHOUSE FOR HAMPTON.

Six school-rooms, assembly hall, office and store-room, basement with space for manual training and domestic arts. Building to be of brick with slate roof. General contract for a building, including plumbing, electric wiring, and painting, \$24,000 00
 Heating and ventilating contract, 2,300 00
 Architect's fee, 6% of cost, 1,580 00

Building only, \$27,880 00
 Curtains and electric fixtures, \$ 250 00
 Desks, chairs, etc., 1,500 00

 \$ 1,750 00

Total for building and equipment,..... \$29,630 00
 Land for site and playgrounds, 1,000 00
 Grading, 2,000 00

Grand total for building, equipment and grounds, \$32,630 00

In round numbers then a Central schoolhouse will cost, it is estimated, between thirty-two and thirty-three thousand dollars. In addition a Central schoolhouse will entail a permanent increase in running expenses amounting, it is estimated, to \$1,100.00 yearly, made up as follows :

Janitor service : Cost last year \$87.95 ; for Central school would cost \$400.00 per year — an increase of \$312.00.

Fuel : Cost last year \$128.20 ; would require 35 to 40 tons of coal, which at \$7.00 amounts to \$245.00 to \$280.00 — an increase of about \$117.00.

Transportation : Cost last year, by wagon \$220.00, and by street car, \$624.00 less \$77.89 for tickets sold, making the total net cost \$766.11. There are thirty-six weeks of school of five days each, amounting to 180 school

days in the year. The school tickets cost three and one-half cents each or seven cents per day for one pupil over one fare limit. As stated, we spent \$547.11 for street car transportation last year, or \$3.04 each school day. This daily average, divided by seven cents, shows that we transport by street car each school day the equivalent of 43 to 44 children over one fare limit. With a Central school we would have to take care also of the East end pupils and the North end pupils. Seventy-one pupils attend the East end school ; subtract from this number 28 who now ride from the center of the town to the East end and 4 who now ride from the beach to the East end and could ride to the center without extra cost, and there are left 39 pupils to be transported from the East end to the Center. At seven cents each this amounts to \$2.73 per school day, or an increase of \$491.40 per year for street car transportation. Then the North end pupils must be taken care of by wagon. At \$1.25 per day, the present rate, this amounts to \$220.00 per year to be added for wagon transportation, making a total yearly increase of \$711.00 for transportation. Recapitulating, we have :

Janitor increase,	\$ 312 00
Fuel increase,	117 00
Transportation increase,	711 00

Total increase over present running expenses, \$ 1,140 00

Other annual expenses are — cleaning, which should remain about the same. Repairs, which were \$237.00 last year and should be at least \$100.00 less with the new school ; but the water rent will probably offset this saving. Insurance, which will have to be taken out on a larger valuation, but this increase in the amount will perhaps be offset by the lower rate obtainable on a brick building of as near fire-proof construction as possible.

The money needed for building, land and equipment can be raised in two ways, namely, by notes or bond issue. If by a bond issue, one-twentieth of the total amount must

be retired each year. A bond issue is generally considered the cheapest and best method of raising money for permanent improvements. Should it be decided to issue \$32,000.00 of four and one-half per cent school district bonds for a Central schoolhouse, the cost would be as follows, using our present valuation of two million dollars :

Retirement fund each year for twenty years,	\$ 1,600 00
Interest first year,	1,440 00

Total to be raised by taxation first year, . . \$ 3,040 00

The above amounts to an increase in the tax rate of \$1.50 per thousand. After the first year the interest payments decrease \$72.00 annually. At the end of twenty years the debt is wiped out.

After the school is built and in running order it will be necessary to raise yearly by taxation the sum of \$1,100.00 to cover the permanent increase in running expenses due to the new school. This amounts to an increase in the tax rate of fifty-five cents per thousand.

It is therefore evident that the total cost of a Central schoolhouse to the taxpayers of Hampton will amount to an increase in the tax rate of about two dollars per thousand on the present valuation of two million dollars.

It has been suggested that our large yearly increase in valuation, and in the rents received from the town lands, due to the building up of the beach, should tend to reduce our tax rate and thus partially offset, if not entirely take care of, the cost of the new school. This important factor in town finances has been given due consideration, but our past financial policy furnishes no hope for the future in this direction. Each year, for some years back, the town has spent a little more than it has taken in, notwithstanding our remarkable increase in valuation ; and the voters have approved. It is therefore apparent that an increase in the tax rate is inevitable in the near future even though the Central schoolhouse is not built.

There seems to be a widespread sentiment through the district favorable to the new Central schoolhouse ; if not this year then as soon as the town can afford it. And this desire to give our children the greatest possible advantages is not hard to understand. In many of our manufacturing towns and cities are observed modern school buildings, with all the latest improvements, filled with the children of foreign parents ; are the children of this strictly American community any the less worthy of the best educational facilities ?

But bear in mind that we pay the price, namely, an increase in the tax rate of about two dollars. On the other hand, do not be deceived should the tax rate be raised three or four dollars. Remember, that however much the rate goes up in the future, a Central schoolhouse would be responsible for only two dollars of the increase.

The following recommendations are made :

1. That a piece of ground be acquired immediately for a public playground for the enjoyment of all the school children of the town, including the pupils of Hampton Academy and high school, and suitable for use as the site of a Central schoolhouse should such a structure ever be erected.

2. That, should the district decide to go ahead with the Central schoolhouse project, a Central schoolhouse building committee be elected by ballot to have full charge and control of all matters, both financial and otherwise, pertaining to the said project until such time as the building is erected and the building and grounds are equipped and turned over to the district.

Respectfully submitted,

ERNEST G. COLE,
HOWARD G. LANE,
MARTHA P. LOCKE,
W. M. BATCHELDER,
ALBERT K. CHURCH.

Appendix



Vital Statistics
Libray Additions

BIRTHS Registered in the Town of HAMPTON, N. H., for the year ending Dec. 31, 1915

Date	Name of Child	Number of Child	Male or Female	Stillborn or Liv'g	Name of Father	Name of Mother	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
Jan. 2	Daisy B.	10	F	ALL LIVING	Alex G. Thompson	Jessie Finley	Scotland	Scotland
16	Howard G.	5	M		Henry B. Hobbs	Bettina Moulton	Hampton	North Hampton
Aug. 9	Dorothy E.		F		John Hutchinson	Mary A. Chapman	Philadelphia, Pa.	Georgetown Ms.
Mar. 9	Leonard A.	4	M		Fred L. Blake	Bernice Lane	Hampton	Hampton
23	Evelyn A.	1	F		Ralph H. Perkins	Gladys G. Barrows	Hampton	Sandwich
26	Herman E.	5	M		Ernest H. Lewis	Alice E. Roberts	Portland, Me.	Bradford. Mass.
Apr. 2	George D.	4	M		Geo. F. Stenstream	Annie Perkins	Gloucester, Ms.	Ipswich, Mass.
June 1	Donna L.	4	F		Walter E. Brown	Laura A. Bragg	Hampton	Seabrook
May 22	Eugene H.	5	M		Eugene F. Moareddy	Sadie M. Logan	Lawrence, Ms.	Eastport, Me.
June 12	Edwin A.	1	M		Samuel D. Taylor	Nora N. Nichols	Hampton	Rochester, N. H.
12	Francesca V.	1	F		Luigi Marelli	Celestina Riggis	Cassini, Italy	Selcrite, Italy
27	Pauline M.	4	F		Charles Raymond	Annie G. Thornton	Hancock, N. H.	Newton Centre
Sept. 5	Virginia H.	1	F		Howard L. Whitaker	Harrette A. Cherry	Atkinson, N. H.	Stoneham, Mass.

MARRIAGES Registered in the Town of HAMPTON, N. H., for year ending Dec. 31, 1915

Date of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Age	Color	Place of Birth of Each	Name of Parents	Name, Residence and Official Station of the Person by whom Married
Feb.						
	2 Victor G. Garland Pauline Brown	23 24		Gloucester, Mass. Hampton, N. H.	George L. Garland Clara C. Sanborn Moses W. Brown Carrie E. Palmer Fred Gould	Rev. James Smith Clergyman Hampton
March						
	10 Frederick Gould Katherine E. Murphy	25 22		Beverly, Mass. Salem, Mass.	Ellen M. McNiff Michael J. Murphy Isabel M. Belyea Charles Schrempf	Horace M. Lane, Esq. Justice of the Peace Hampton
March						
	8 Albert L. Schrempf Alice T. Gibbs	19 17		Newburyport, Mass. West Peabody, Mass.	Matilda Lewis John H. Gibbs Annie Tenney Charles S. Drown	Rev. C. E. Clough Clergyman Hampton
April						
	17 Sidney W. Drown Amelia Burns	26 20		Portsmouth, N. H. Amesbury, Mass.	Sarah J. Alton Lawrence Burns Mary Steward Benjamin Cook	Rev. C. E. Clough Clergyman Hampton
May						
	13 B. Cleveland Cook Victoria D. M. Caldwell	52 41		Concord, N. H. Lynn, Mass.	Rachel E. Cogswell Charles H. Caldwell Frances C. Wyman	Rev. J. L. Smith Clergyman Hampton

MARRIAGES Registered in the Town of HAMPTON, N. H., for year ending Dec. 31, 1915

Date of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Age	Color	Place of Birth of Each	Name of Parents	Name, Residence and Official Station of the Person by whom Married
May	15 Elmer C. King, Jr. Lillian M. Dow	18 17		Hampton, N. H. Seabrook, N. H.	Elmer C. King Josephine E. Hobbs James W. Dow Sarah Murphy Daniel Lamprey Hannah P. Lamprey Levi Mace Caroline Ingalls Herbert W. Leighton Eliza J. Whittemore Cornelius J. Green Margaret Graney Major Morrison Sarah Taylor James H. Needham Alice Morrison Warren F. Abrams Ella F. Marshall Henry Johnston Kathryn Locks	Rev. W. H. Rand Clergyman Seabrook, N. H. Elder Mark Stevens Minister of the Gospel Ossipee, N. H. Horace M. Lane, Esq. Justice of the Peace Hampton Rev. W. H. Sterns Clergyman Hampton Rev. J. A. Ross Clergyman Hampton
1889, Aug.	17 Lewis S. Lamprey Carrie E. Brown	44 39		Hampton, N. H. Lebanon, Me.		
July	5 Edward W. Leighton Lillian E. Greene	30 32		Calais, Me. Lowell, Mass.		
June	12 Major Morrison Fannie Needham	32 32		Ash'on, England Providence, R. I.		
July	4 Arthur Abrams Kathryn Johnston	19 19		Haverhill, Mass. Hartford, Conn.		

May	8	Harry E. Congdon Wilhelmina G. Frost	21 21			Rev. R. Sanderson Clergyman Hampton
Aug.	21	Robert E. Cousins Mary Gibbs	27 29	Everett, Mass. Scotland	Leonard Cousins Sarah Edgarton William M. Gibbs Margaret M. Monks Cornelius N. Krook Rosie Brownson Eugene F. Nudd Minerva Perkins	Rev. I. S. Jones Clergyman Hampton
Sept.	14	William Cleon Krook Frances Augusta Nudd	27 22	Portland, Me. Hampton, N. H.	Joseph Powers Elizabeth Armstrong Melvin J. Jenkins Mary Abby Parker John F. O'Dea Catherine Walker	Rev. C. N. Krook Clergyman Fairlee, Vt.
Sept.	16	Thomas H. Powers Ethel G. Jenkins	49 37	Broome, Canada Manchester, N. H.		Rev. J. L. Smith Clergyman Hampton
Nov.	1	Frank J. O'Dea Irma F. Polts	43 36	Fort Knox, Me. Manchester, N. H.		Rev. P. J. Scott Catholic Priest Exeter, N. H.

DEATHS Registered in the Town of HAMPTON, N. H., for the year ending Dec. 31, 1915

Date	Name of Deceased	Place of Birth	Age			Male or Female	Sln., Mar., Wid	Name of Father	Name or Mother
			Years	Months	Days				
Jan. 3	I. Warren Emery	Hampton	67		4	M	M	Isaac Emery	Susan Warren
8	Dorothy E. Hanson	Exeter, N. H.		1	6	F	S	Henry C. Hanson	Estella A. Thompson
9	Annie T. Boynton	Salem, Mass.	53		14	F	S	George Boynton	Rebecca Hyam
Feb. 7	Eben Lamprey	Hampton	88	6	28	M	W	Eli Lamprey	Hannah Sanborn
Mar. 3	George W. Towle	Hampton	80	8	16	M	W	David Towle	Mary Garland
8	Sarah (Pierce) Perkins	Hillsdale, N. Y.	77	9	21	F	M	Levi Pierce	Sarah Phelps
19	Virginia W. Morgan	Hampton	84	11	5	F	W	David Perkins	Asenath H. Batchelder
23	Morrill A. Coffin	Hampton	54	4	17	M	M	Morrill M. Coffin	Mary A. Palmer
23	Lewis P. Nudd	Hampton	82	1	17	M	W	Willard E. Nudd	Patience J. Towle
April 6	Joseph Perkins	Hampton	92	7	13	M	W	Jonathan Perkins	Sally Johnson
1	Olive R. Hanson	Gorham, Me.	68	10	4	F	M	—Whitney	—Hamblin
May 3	Josephine Southworth	Charlestown, Ms.	69	11	6	F	W	Enoch Holmes	Hannah R. Sennett
9	Gracie P. Lane	N. Hampton	19			F	S	George W. Lane	Mary Batchelder
28	Helen A. Barbour	Hampton	72	2	22	F	W	Oliver Godfrey	Mary Fogg
June 4	Elizabeth Clark	Oneida, N. Y.	82	8	9	F	W	J. Smith	Pauline —
17	Maria Price	Sussex, N. B.	79	8		F	M	Edward Parlee	—McArthur
27	John E. Yeaton	Abington, Masa.	67	2	3	M	M	C. E. T. Yeaton	Ellen Brackett
July 1	Eliza J. Roberts	Amesbury, Mass.	46	4	3	F	M	Stephen Cammett	Sarah E. Healy

July 13	William A. Richard	Tecumseh, Mich.	64	2	M	M	Hugh Richards	Anna Weeks
24	Isabelle N. Leavitt	Hampton	64	5	F	M	Jeremiah Elkins	Nancy L. Fisher
Sept. 7	Clinton M. Greene	Pittsfield, N. H.	63	11	M	S	William Greene	Harriet C. Drake
14	John Nolan	Ireland	68	9	M	M	Michael Nolan	Mary Vilsman
27	Sarah A. Wingate	Newburyport	82	7	F	W	Samuel Pearson	Elizabeth Shannon
Oct. 4	Joseph T. Weare	Hampton	84	10	M	W	Taylor Weare	Mary Redman
12	Virginia H. Whitaker	Hampton	58	1	F	S	Howard L. Whitaker	Harriet W. Cherry
16	Annie A. Foster	Lee Centre, Ill.	55	6	F	M	Silas L. Savage	Emeline Jackson
20	Angie N. Tilton	Camden, Me.	86	2	F	M	John F. Studley	Caroline Upham
Nov. 4	Joseph P. Batchelder	N. Hampton	70	6	M	W	James L. Batchelder	Mary N. Philbrick
26	Emily L. Locke	Maine	21	10	F	M	John Burton	Christina Harriman
Dec. 2	Gladys E. Smith	Centre Harbor	21	7	F	S	George E. Smith	Lilla I. Smith

Additions to Public Library

BOOKS ADDED TO THE LIBRARY FOR YEAR END- ING FEBRUARY 15, 1916.

FICTION

NO.	AUTHOR	TITLE OF BOOK
4645	Anderson, Ada W.	The Rim of the Desert.
4646	Anonymous	Overland Red
4500	Atherton, Grace	Before the Gringo Came
4501	Bareynska, Countess	The Little Mother Who Sits at Home
4505	Bailey, Temple	Contrary Mary
4647	Bliss, Reginald	The Mind of the Race
4502	Bosher, Kate L.	House of Happiness.
4503	Burnham, Clara L.	The Right Track
4753	Burnham, Clara L.	Jewel: A Chapter in Her Life
4504	Butler, Samuel	The Way of All Flesh
4648	Chambers, Robart	Athalie
4649	Cullum, Ridgewell	The One-Way Trail
4537	Churchill, Winston	The Far Country
4650	Dalrymple, Leona	The Lovable Meddler
4651	Dalrymple, Leona	Diane of the Green Van
4652	Day, Holman	The Landloper
4653	Deland, Margaret	Around Old Chester
4654	Dell, Ethel	The Keeper of the Door
4655	Dowd, Emma C.	Doodles
4507	Doyle, A. Conan	The Valley of Fear
4508	Erskine, Payne	The Mountain Girl

NO.	AUTHOR	TITLE OF BOOK
4509	Fielding, Henry	Tom Jones (Vol. 1)
4510	Fielding, Henry	Tom Jones (Vol. 2)
4656	Galesworthy, John	The Freelands
4511	Gray, Phoebe	Little Sir Galahad
4512	Green, Anna K.	Behind Closed Doors
4513	Grey, Zane	The Lone Star Ranger
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